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HUERTA DELEGATES ACCEPT PROPOSALS TO ELIMINATE HIM

Agree That Commission of Leading Mexicans Be Named to Govern Mexico, Is Rept.

MEDIATORS FIND NEW TANGLE

Dispatch From London Makes Appeal for Conservation of British Interests, Not Only in Mexico, but All Latin-America.

Mediation Headquarters, Clifton Hotel, Niagara Falls, Ont., May 25.—That the delegates of President Huerta had accepted a proposal by the "A-B-C" mediators that a commission of leading Mexicans be created to govern Mexico provisionally was a report in general circulation here. The American delegates were summoned to the mediation headquarters at noon, shortly after the Huerta delegates and the Latin-American envoys had held a conference.

In order to have a commission chosen to govern Mexico, it would be necessary for Huerta to retire from office. Not only did the report indicate that the Mexicans had accepted the proposal, but they also intimate that the Huerta delegates had presented a tentative list of names to be taken under consideration of members of the commission.

Working Basis Is Reached.
That at least a working basis of agreement had been reached was shown when Justice Joseph R. Lamar, one of the American delegates, announced that the first full conference would be held at the request of the mediators. This announcement came after the second conference of the day, that between the Americans and the mediators. When it was over at 12:49 p. m. Justice Lamar said:

"We have just arranged for the first full conference. We were called over here to see about it, and we shall all meet together for the first time in the evening.

"I cannot say what we shall discuss. I really do not know what the mediators will have to offer to us. We shall come prepared to hear what may be said."

New Mediation Tangle.
A new tangle was added to the mediation conference being conducted by the "A-B-C" envoys here when code dispatches were received by the South American representatives. They came from Buenos Ayres, Santiago and Rio Janeiro, capitals respectively of Argentina, Chile and Brazil, and also from London.

It is understood that in the London dispatch a powerful appeal was made by British interests to the mediators to protect the business interests not only in Mexico, but of all Latin-America, against the "dictatorial policy of the United States." The fall of Huerta was pictured as the forerunner of anarchy and wholesale murder throughout Mexico, to be followed by American conquest. This in turn, the British petitioners declared, would mean a further conquest of Central America by the Yankees and would imperil the republics still farther south.

The mediators were begged to take a stand that would prevent aggression by the United States.

Conferences were resumed at 11:10, the Mexicans going into the mediation room with the South Americans for a long discussion of the American proposals of last night.

Federalists to Attack Americans.
Vera Cruz, May 25.—An attack by Mexican federalists that would break the truce between the forces of Huerta and the United States is expected at any time. General Robles, who has 3,500 men under his command at Los Bajos, northwest of Vera Cruz, has promised his soldiers to lead them against the Americans within four days.

The federal commander made this pledge in answering complaints of his men against inaction and hunger. General Robles is a subordinate of General Navarrete, who has repeatedly declared that the Mexican troops would not violate the truce.

Rebel activity in the vicinity of Vera Cruz is increasing. General Canido Aguilar, who captured Tuxpan, is reported to have some south and been negotiating with federal officers for the surrender of the government troops at Soledad.

In this connection Major Chaves, one of General Mass' favorites, was arrested by his own officers at Soledad on a charge of negotiating with the constitutionalists. He was sent to Mexico City.

College Frowns on Darrow.
Ann Arbor, Mich., May 25.—The Delta Sigma Rho society, the honorary oratorical and debating organization of the University of Michigan, voted to invite Clarence Darrow of Chicago to make the Memorial day address, but upon applying to officials of the university for permission to bring him here met with refusal.

Another Private Bank Goes Under.
Chicago, May 25.—The Ogden Park bank, a private institution, closed its doors. The liabilities are over \$25,000. It is a "one-man" bank, its president being Alden N. Beaumont.

GLASGOW'S WATER SUPPLY MENACED

Militants Attempt Destruction of Mains by Blowing Them Up With Dynamite.

KING'S PICTURE IS SLASHED

London Suffragettes Invade British Museum and Do Damage With Axes—Police Raid Headquarters of Women.

Glasgow, Scotland, May 25.—Militant suffragettes tried to destroy this city's water supply. Their "dynamite squad" planted two large bombs among the pipes conveying water from Loch Katrine to Glasgow, but the fuses burned out just before their fire reached the detonators.

The bombs were imbedded in soft earth, but were so placed that their explosion would have shattered the water-carrying system.

Nearby was found a quantity of suffragette literature protesting against the treatment accorded to Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst.

Slash King's Picture.
Edinburgh, Scotland, May 25.—A militant suffragette, armed with a hatchet, dashed through a crowd of spectators at the art exhibition and slashed a large portrait of King George painted by the famous artist, Lavery.

The woman was arrested after a struggle, but refused to reveal her identity when locked up.

Though a long gash was made in the picture, it is believed that the portrait can be repaired.

Do Damage in Museum.
London, May 25.—While four of their comrades were being sentenced to two months at hard labor for smashing windows in Grosvenor square, two militant suffragettes invaded the British museum and inflicted heavy damage with small axes.

They smashed several exhibit cases and tried to destroy the mummies in the Egyptian room, but were seized and overpowered before this purpose could be accomplished.

Both struggled desperately when seized, but were overcome, hustled into taxicabs and taken to the Bow street station.

Raid on the Headquarters of the Women's Social and Political Union, the militant suffragette organization, was carried out by the police. They took possession of the offices and detained all the members of the staff on duty.

After thoroughly ransacking the rooms, the police let all the officials go except one woman.

There was no disturbance inside the building, but a suffragette, who arrived during the raid, assaulted a policeman and appeared to be greatly aggrieved when he would not arrest her.

The crowd outside was distinctly hostile to the women, but a large force of policemen protected them.

Frida Graham, the suffragette who slashed valuable paintings in the National Art gallery, was committed for trial after a hearing at the police court.

The woman kept up a continual tirade from the prisoners' enclosure, and was held fast by two policemen throughout the proceedings.

The pictures were not so badly damaged as had been thought, according to the evidence of an official from the gallery.

GIRL'S DEATH IS A MYSTERY

Decapitated Body of Zelma Young, Thirteen Years Old, Found in Bed at Her Home.

Danville, Ky., May 25.—Mystery surrounds the murder of Zelma Young, a thirteen-year-old girl, whose nearly decapitated body was found in bed at the home of her father, Thomas Young, here.

In the girl's cheek were found finger nail imprints, believed by the authorities to have been made by the murderer when he seized the girl and drew a razor across her throat. A bloody razor was found beside the bed.

Excitement prevails here and posers are searching for the girl's assailant. A soft black hat, found in the backyard at the Young home, was the only clue found which might lead to the detection of the murderer.

DR. NILES T. QUALES IS DEAD

Noted Scandinavian Leader in Chicago Succumbs to Effects of Pneumonia.

Chicago, May 25.—Dr. Niles T. Qualess, a noted Scandinavian-American medical man of Chicago and founder of the Norwegian Old People's home and various other movements and institutions to aid fellow-countrymen, died at his home here from pneumonia. Doctor Qualess, who was eighty-three years old, was knighted by King Haakon of Norway four years ago in recognition of his charitable work.

J. D. Jenkins Wins Golf Title.
Sandwich, England, May 25.—J. L. C. Jenkins of Troon, Scotland, won the British amateur golf championship by beating C. L. Hazlet of Portrush, Ireland, by 3 up and 2 to play, in the final round of 36 holes.

SENOR LUIS ELGUERO



Senor Elguero, one of the Mexican delegates to the mediation conference at Niagara Falls, Ont., is a prominent and wealthy resident of Mexico City.

SAYS HE SHOT WOMAN

Art Student Confesses to Shooting Mrs. Flavell.

Italian Youth Says Slight of Well Dressed Woman on Train Tempted Him to Make Attack.

Florence, Italy, May 25.—A Florentine art student, Pietro Rossi, was arrested here and confessed to being the man who shot and robbed Mrs. Mary Flavell of Chicago, on Thursday, while she was on a train between Florence and Assisi.

He said:

"I am a student at the Social Science institute here, and am twenty-four years old. I had gambled away almost all the money I possessed and had started on my way home to Monte Pulciano, in order to inform my family of my predicament. On the train, however, I saw an old lady who apparently already had one foot in the grave and to whom wealth could not mean much.

"The sight of the well dressed woman tempted me, and I attacked her. I would not have tried to kill her if she had not screamed when I grasped her valise. I then lost my reason and fired."

The accused is kept under close watch.

The condition of Mrs. Flavell had improved and the doctors stated that she would probably survive if her constitution was strong enough to enable her to recuperate from the great loss of blood caused by the wound.

Chicago, May 25.—The condition of Mrs. Mary Flavell, Chicago social worker, shot and robbed on a train in Italy, is reported as improved in a cablegram received by Dr. Frederick Noyes, a friend of the wounded woman.

Dr. Noyes expects to start for Italy immediately to look after Mrs. Flavell, unless her condition becomes so bad as to make his trip futile. He conferred with the Italian consul in Chicago, and sent cablegrams directing that the best medical aid be given her.

CROP REPORT NOTEWORTHY

Department of Agriculture Predicts a Wheat Harvest of Over 850,000,000 Bushels.

Washington, May 25.—"A combination of the largest acreage ever recorded with the promise of the largest yield per acre ever recorded makes the present report of the condition of winter wheat noteworthy," says the department of agriculture in a report on the general agricultural outlook.

A bumper crop of wheat of 850,000,000 bushels is predicted. The outlook for the rice crop is good, says the department, and the hay crop is promising. General crop prices have advanced about 2.4 per cent. The cotton trend is somewhat backward, the department says, less acreage having been planted in 1913 than in 1912.

Aviation Section for Army.

Washington, May 25.—The senate military committee has ordered a favorable report on the bill which has passed the house providing for an aviation section to be part of the army signal corps to consist of 60 officers and 260 enlisted men. Assignments to the aviation section are to be for four years.

Abduction Suspect Held.

Winnetka, Ill., May 25.—G. M. Blucher was held here on suspicion of being Franz Meyer, wanted at Oelwein, Iowa, on a charge of abducting Elizabeth Hupperts, aged fourteen. Meyer was a piano manufacturer. The Iowa authorities were notified of Blucher's arrest.

Prominent St. Louis Man Dead.

St. Louis, Mo., May 25.—Lewis D. Drexler, reputed millionaire and member of one of the oldest families of St. Louis, died at his home of arterial sclerosis. The Drexler family fortune was made selling hardtack to the soldiers during the Civil war.

LOST SAVINGS OF LIFE TIME

Paris, Ky.—The people of this city and county who reposed their trust in George B. Alexander and thereby will sustain losses aggregating more than a quarter of a million dollars are greatly depressed over the failure of the bank of George B. Alexander & Co., but they have made no demonstration against the president of the defunct institution.

However, they are not taking their losses uncomplainingly, though practically all of them are prone to accuse themselves of overlooking the name of "Prince George," as Alexander is called by many who were his friends. There are seven directors of the bank, including Alexander. They are Reuben B. Hutchcraft, Sr., wealthy farmer and grain man; E. P. Claybrook, wealthy farmer; J. W. Bacon, a capitalist; John M. Brennan, former lawyer, now a farmer; Wallace W. Mitchell, former cashier of the bank, now a merchant; and Harry B. Clay, a well-to-do farmer. The bank's employees were Owen L. Davis, cashier, and Joseph Mitchell, bookkeeper, Mitchell being a brother-in-law of Alexander. The depositors and other creditors of the bank, which had a capital stock of only \$40,000, and was in the habit of paying 28 per cent a year dividends upon the stock, the 400 shares of which were quoted at \$250 a share, numbered approximately 1,000.

SEMINARY WILL ASK FOR \$200,000.

Louisville, Ky.—It was recently decided by the Board of Directors of the Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, to add two new courses, one on Christian sociology and one on Christian ethics. The courses in religious education and Sunday-school work in missions and Biblical theology were extended. The changes were made upon recommendation of the faculty at the annual meeting. An effort will be made to secure an endowment of \$200,000; \$50,000 has already been promised.

BLUE GRASS BREVITIES

Whitesburg, Ky.—The party of coal men, bankers, etc., of which Clarence W. Watson, Fairmont, W. Va.; C. W. Watson, J. H. Wheelwright, president of the Consolidated Coal Co., Baltimore; Frank Haas, consulting engineer of the Consolidated Coal Co., and others, all prominent in the coal business of the country, are members, after leaving Lexington on a special train on their return to the East.

Henderson, Ky.—A plan is on foot to erect a modern hospital in this city. The city council will be asked to appropriate \$20,000 out of this year's budget and a similar sum is expected to be raised by popular subscription. Several of the wealthiest citizens in the city have agreed to donate liberally to the building fund.

Georgetown, Ky.—The eighty-fourth annual commencement of Georgetown college will begin Friday evening, June 5, and continue for five days. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached June 7th by Rev. C. M. Thompson, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Lexington, Ky.—Dr. Louis F. Snow, formerly dean of the college of education at the State university, has received the appointment of Dean of the English department of Philippine University, P. I., and will sail from San Francisco June 17th to be gone two years.

Maysville, Ky.—The annual joint meeting of groups 7, 9, and 10, Kentucky Bankers association, will meet this year at Olympian Springs, June 10 and 11. Col. Thomas J. Smith will be one of the speakers.

Fulton, Ky.—The commencement sermon for Carr Institute was preached at the Auditorium by Dr. W. W. Adams, pastor of the First Methodist church, here, and will sail from San Francisco June 17th to be gone two years.

Lexington, Ky.—The sixty-first annual commencement of Sayre college was held here this week. There were eight graduates and a large assemblage present at the exercises.

Pineville, Ky.—Groups 8 and 11 of the Kentucky Bankers' association held a most interesting meeting here Saturday. Several most instructive addresses were delivered.

Lexington, Ky.—Local option elections in central Kentucky counties will be held September 28th, says Mrs. Frances Beauchamp, state president of the W. C. T. U.

Paris, Ky.—The bank of George B. Alexander & Co. has been closed and turned over to the state banking department by a vote of a majority of the directors. Buckner Woodford has been appointed a special deputy banking commissioner to wind up the bank's affairs.

Carlisle, Ky.—Everything is in readiness for the transplanting of the tobacco crop in the burley district with the first season. Plants, as a rule, are reported plentiful and in good condition.

DR. GEORG BRANDES



Dr. Georg Brandes of Denmark, recognized as one of the greatest of living literary critics and Shakespearean scholars, is now in the United States delivering lectures.

BECKER IS UNDAUNTED

Former Police Officer Renews Fight for Life.

Lawyers for Convicted Slayer of Herman Rosenthal Prepare to Take Case to Higher Court.

New York, May 25.—Mayor Mitchell sent this letter to District Attorney Whitman congratulating him on his conduct of the Becker case:

"My Dear Mr. Whitman: I have just heard of the outcome of the Becker case. The whole community is under obligations to you, as your work has been splendid."

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL.
New York, May 25.—For the second time Charles E. Becker, former police lieutenant, occupies a cell in Tombs prison as the convicted murderer of Herman Rosenthal, gambler, for the actual killing of whom the four gunmen paid the penalty in the electric chair a little more than a month ago.

Now, as on Oct. 25, 1912, following his first conviction for the murder of Rosenthal, Becker's only hope to escape the fate of the guillotine lay in the success of an appeal from the verdict. On Friday Becker will be sentenced, and soon thereafter he will be returned to the death house at Sing Sing prison, which he left last February on the order of the court of appeals that he be given a new trial.

An appeal by Becker's counsel, which is certain to be made, will act as a stay of execution, giving Becker more than a year to live, and with it the hope of another reversal of the judgment of the trial court.

The verdict of guilty by the jury, returned after four hours and five minutes of deliberation, came as a shock to Becker, his devoted wife and his lawyers. They had hoped for acquittal; they had expected a disagreement, but had not for a moment thought that a jury would convict Becker after the court of appeals decision.

PROGRESSIVES STAND ALOOF

Will Not Amalgamate With G. O. P. Says James A. Garfield—Roosevelt to Receive Beverage.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., May 25.—Political conditions relating to the probability of Progressive victories in Indiana and New York were taken under consideration by Col. Theodore Roosevelt. Among the visitors expected were ex-Senator Albert J. Beveridge of Indiana and Theodore Douglas Robinson, chairman of the New York state committee. They were elated to present a complete analysis of conditions in their states and make recommendations as to the program to be followed. It is probable that Col. Roosevelt will campaign in both these states this fall. All the talk about an amalgamation of the Progressive and the Republican parties is without foundation according to James R. Garfield of Ohio, secretary of the Interior under Roosevelt, who came to confer with Roosevelt.

Killed in Ambush at Home.
West Newton, Pa., May 25.—R. G. Stoner, a leading business man, was shot dead as he stepped on the porch at his residence here. Five shots were fired by an unknown assassin concealed in the shrubbery on the lawn.

Aeronaut Drowned in River.

Alton, Ill., May 25.—Robert Cowan, an eighteen-year-old aeronaut, was drowned in the Mississippi here when the balloon in which he was soaring dropped into the stream.

Senator Bradley Grows Weaker.

Washington, May 25.—Small hope was entertained by attending physicians for the recovery of Senator Bradley of Kentucky, who has been critically ill. Senator Bradley was reported to be gradually growing weaker.

Open "Uncle Remus" Shrine.
Atlanta, Ga., May 25.—Dedication exercises were held here by which the home of Joel Chandler Harris, the author, was opened as a permanent shrine and a memorial to the folklore writer whom the world knew as Uncle Remus.

MAY INVESTIGATE N.Y. CENTRAL LINES

Revelation by Mellen as to New Haven Road May Cause Probe into Others.

ROCKEFELLER MUST TESTIFY

Attorney Folk Declares If Millionaire Is Well Enough to Attend Directors' Meeting He Can Appear Before Commerce Body.

Washington, May 25.—Revelations by Charles S. Mellen as to the financial practices of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad have caused the interstate commerce commission to consider an investigation of other large railroad systems. It was learned here that the commission decided to thrust its probe into other systems the New York Central is likely to be the first to come under the spotlight of publicity.

Chief Counsel Folk of the commission said:

"I think that an investigation of the New York Central would result in disclosures as great as those made in connection with the New Haven." Senator Norris of Nebraska, who introduced the resolution on which the New Haven investigation was based, is considering the introduction of a similar measure in connection with the New York Central.

Rockefeller Must Testify.
Neither physicians' certificates of illness nor any other excuses will be accepted by Solicitor Folk for the non-appearance of William Rockefeller and other directors of the New Haven under subpoena to appear in the commission's New Haven investigation. Solicitor Folk stated, "If Mr. Rockefeller is able to attend New Haven directors' meetings, as it appears he has done in the last few days, he is sufficiently improved in health to appear in Washington," said Folk.

Under present conditions the chief counsel said, William Rockefeller, George MacCallum Miller, Samuel C. Morehouse and H. M. Kochersperger, whom Folk described as constituting the sick list, will have to testify "or suffer the consequences." Folk intimated that contempt proceedings might be instituted. Mr. Miller's ailment, according to Folk, seems to be senility, and Samuel C. Morehouse and H. M. Kochersperger are suffering from nervous prostration.

Will Shake Up Directors.
Devere H. Warner, a New Haven director, will be one of the next witnesses to be heard. Folk expects to gain from him considerable information about some of the directors' meetings. He expects to bring out that many directors had so little interest in the matters before the board that they used the time consumed by directors' meetings to slip in forty or more winks.

Folk feels that the directors knew that any protest they might have made, had they given close attention to the proceedings, would have been useless in view of the fact that Morgan and other higher-ups shaped the policies usually formulated by the directors.

It is not unlikely that more may be heard from Mellen in the future, as some of the next witnesses to be heard make statements involving him in matters concerning which he has not testified, he may be recalled.

1 DEAD, 2 DYING, IN WRECK

Finding of Body Across Railroad Tracks Reveals Auto Tragedy. That Will Cost Three Lives.

Wheeling, W. Va., May 25.—The finding of a body on the tracks of the West Virginia Traction and Electric company in front of Greenwood cemetery, four miles east of this city, revealed an auto tragedy that will cost three lives. The machine, driven by Frank Green, a prominent druggist, collided with a telephone pole and was wrecked. The bodies of Green and M. Murray were hurled 50 feet over the fence into the cemetery. H. E. Stoetzer's body lay unconscious across the tracks. All were unconscious and dying.

Y. W. C. A. to Meet in Sweden.

New York City, May 25.—The principal subject for discussion at the fifth conference of the World's Young Women's Christian association, which is to be assembled at Stockholm, Sweden, June 10 to 18, will be "The Unfolding of the True Plan for Women in God's Purpose for the World," according to an announcement made here by the American committee.

Flames Sweep Iowa Town.

Stout City, Ia., May 25.—A telephone message from Hinton, Ia., ten miles east of here, says the town has been swept by a fire which broke out in a hardware store. The Bank of Hinton, a hotel, a general store and several small business concerns in the central part of the town have been destroyed.

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WOODFORD IS PIONEER COUNTY

IN THE RURAL BETTERMENT MOVEMENT FOR BOTH GIRLS AND BOYS.

DIRECTION OF Y. M. C. A.

County Board of Education Makes Appropriation for Work Insuring Success—Miss Ada Croft, Secretary.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.
Versailles, Ky.—Woodford county, which for some time has been taking advanced steps in the "rural betterment" movement, is to be the pioneer county in extension work among girls and women in rural communities under the direction of the county Y. M. C. A. The idea has been in process of development here for some time and its success is now assured by the county board of education making an appropriation to the work, which, with funds already subscribed by public-spirited citizens, enables the Y. M. C. A. to employ a girls' work secretary. Miss Ada G. Croft, a member of the faculty of Margaret college, has been chosen for the position of secretary and will devote all her time to organizing and instructing girls in the rural communities, as classes or as individuals, in such housekeeping and home-making sciences as cooking, weaving, needlework, basketry, vegetable and fruit canning, poultry raising, bee culture, etc.

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

Wilder Dupuy Made Grand Senior Warden at Annual Convention.

Lexington, Ky.—The grand encampment of the Patriarchal Branch of Odd Fellows held the annual session of the order here. The election of new officers and the selection of Carlettsburg as the next place of meeting were the features of the day's work. There were about seventy-five members present from various parts of the state, and following the reports the following officers were chosen for the coming year: Charles E. Cook, Middlesboro, Grand Patriarch; Schuyler Hall, of Somerset, grand high priest; Wilder Dupuy, Frankfort, grand senior warden; James Childs, Maysville, grand junior warden; R. G. Elliott, Lexington, grand scribe; B. J. Durham, Danville, grand treasurer; John S. Gaunt, Louisville, grand representative; T. N. Hardup, Middlesboro, grand marshal; C. L. Perkins, Carlettsburg, grand inner sentinel; John E. Grief, Paducah, grand outer sentinel. The visiting Odd Fellows visited the I. O. O. F. Home.

KY. COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT.

One Feature of Exercises to be the Address of Rev. Billy Sunday.

Winchester, Ky.—Commencement exercises for Kentucky Wesleyan college promise to be of more than usual interest. A feature of the closing exercises will be an address by Rev. William Ashley ("Billy") Sunday, which will be delivered at the college chapel on Monday, June 1. Mr. Sunday, the noted baseball evangelist, will be accompanied to Winchester by his wife and two fine sons, one twelve and the other six years of age. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered on Sunday, May 31, in the college chapel at 11 o'clock, by Bishop J. G. Kilgo, of Durham, N. C., one of the best known bishops of the Methodist church.

OLD WAYS NOT ALWAYS BEST.

Frankfort, Ky.—The Farmers' Chautauqua movement, which was started in this state last year, has proven a useful influence for the betterment of moral conditions generally. The Chautauqua deals with all the varied phases of rural life, and hits the farmer "where he lives" and shows that the "good old way" in agriculture is not always the best way.

U. S. ASKED TO BUY LOWLANDS.

Washington, D. C.—A plan looking for the acquisition by the federal government of Kentucky lowlands along the Mississippi river is provided in a measure drafted by Representative A. W. Barkley, which will be introduced as an amendment to the rivers and harbors bill by Senator James.

A NEWSPAPER MAN ENDORSED.

Whitesburg, Ky.—The long-drawn-out postoffice contest in Whitesburg is ended. N. M. Webb, of the Whitesburg Mountain Eagle, gets the appointment.

MEETING OF KY. BANKERS.

Lexington, Ky.—The next annual meeting of the Kentucky Bankers' association will be held in this city on September 23 and 24, the decision as to the meeting place having been reached at a meeting in Louisville of the executive committee of the association, of which C. N. Manning, of this city, is a member. At the last meeting of the association the date was fixed for the sessions this year, but the selection of the place was left to the executive committee.

In Society

Telephone all social news to 638.
—Anna D. Lilly, Social Editor

Miss Austin Lilly will entertain the Sherwood Music Club on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Marie Langford entertained a party of little friends on Saturday afternoon from three to five.

Mrs. James J. Neale and Miss Bessie W. Tribble will entertain on Thursday afternoon from three until six o'clock, at their beautiful country home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Broadus entertained the teachers of the Christian Church Sunday School very delightfully on Tuesday evening at their attractive home in Burnamwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Early very delightfully entertained Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Coddington at dinner at their home on Chestnut Street last Friday evening. Among the various delightful and delicious things served was a big eight and a half pound "roe shad" which came from Lake Erie.—Berea Citizen.

BOXLEY-FRY

Dr. H. M. Boxley, of Kirksville, went to North Carolina last week where he was married to Mrs. D. L. Fry, who was formerly Miss Emma Middleton, of Kirksville. Mrs. Fry was the wife of the late Dr. Fry, who died several years ago. Dr. Boxley is an excellent physician, and with his genial and courteous disposition, has made many friends who wish him much happiness and success.

VICTROLA PARTY

Mrs. B. L. Middleton entertained informally with a Victrola party on Saturday morning in honor of Misses Bosley and McElroy of Lebanon.

Beside the hostess and guests of honor there were present Mrs. J. G. Bosley, Misses Jeanette Pates, Mary Catherine and Julia White, Jane D. Stockton and Austin Lilly. After the musical programme delicious strawberry ice and macaroons were served.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Mr. E. C. Walton, of Florida and Miss Maude Marcum, of Calletsburg. Mr. Walton is well known here where he was editor of the Climax for a year, after which he went to Orlando, Florida. He is now owner and publisher of the Orlando Reporter-Star. Mr. Walton has many friends especially among the newspaper fraternity all of whom extend to him their heartfelt congratulations.

CECILIAN CLUB

Miss Laura Bright entertained the Cecilian Club Wednesday afternoon at her home on Lancaster Avenue.

The subject was, "French Composers," and the following members were on the programme: Mrs. A. R. Burnam who read a delightful paper, Mesdames M. C. Kellogg, B. L. Middleton, S. J. McGaughey, Misses Emma Watts and Mary D. Pickels, who gave instrumental numbers, and Mrs. I. G. Ballard and Misses Quisenberry and Bosley who contributed beautiful solos.

PRANDENNIAL

Mr. Harvey Chenault was host of the Prandennial Club on Friday evening at his home in the country.

A beautifully appointed dinner was served in courses, after which the club enjoyed some very fine music on the victrola. The guests of the evening were Messrs. J. R. Johnson, Lewis Neal and Waller Chenault.

The subject for the evening was dispensed with and a delightful concert was given instead. This was the final meeting until the first Friday in October.

AFTERNOON CARD PARTY

Mrs. J. G. Bosley entertained with a beautiful card party on Tuesday afternoon in honor of her charming visitors Misses McElroy and Bosley of Lebanon.

The house was lovely with its decorations of pink and white carnations and ferns and a delightful menu of ices, cakes and mints in the same color, was served.

Nine tables were employed in the games at the conclusion of which the prizes were awarded to the following young ladies: Miss Dick Douglas, first a pair of pink silk hose, Miss Bosley the guests prize, also pink hose and Miss Henrietta Luxon the consolation, a deck of cards.

SURPRISE WEDDING

Mr. Hugh C. Todd, of Speedwell, and Miss Rosaline Clark, of White Hall were married in Lexington on Friday, May 15th the Rev. Cloyd of the Christian Church officiating.

The groom is a prominent young farmer being the son of the late Mr. Isaac D. Todd, while the bride is the lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Clark and a grand-daughter of Dr. and Mrs. McGuire, of this city.

The young couple will make their home at Speedwell.

With many friends the Madisonian joins in congratulations.

Personal

Phone 638 or 659 for all personal items

Mr. A. B. Kohlase, of Winchester was in Richmond recently.

Mr. Tandy Eades, formerly of Richmond now a full fledged "cop" of Lexington, was here last week visiting old friends and relatives.—Winchester Democrat.

Mrs. Slaughter Sparks, of this city has been the recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Daniels in Lexington.

Mr. Clarence Hicks has been with friends in Lexington the past week.

Mr. Swift Champ, of Paris, was in this city last week on business.

Mrs. Jas. P. White, of Nashville, Tenn., who has been the guest of Mesdames E. B. Smith and George T. Bogard, left on Wednesday for Lancaster, where she will spend the Summer with relatives.

Editor John W. Walker, of Irvine, was a visitor here during the past week.

Friends here have received invitations from Mr. J. P. Simmons, of DeLand, Fla., who will graduate in the Law Department of Stetson University with high honors.

Miss Verna Bennett, who is attending the Normal School, visited her family at Wilmore last Sunday.

Miss Duncan Foster will entertain the Five Hundred Club Friday afternoon at her home on West Main.

Misses Margaret and Tennie White, of Irvine, attended the Madison Institute commencement exercises last week.

Mrs. Ellen Wallace, of Irvine, is the guest of her sons Messrs. C. C. and D. F. Wallace.

Mr. F. W. Norris who has been helping in the office of the Madisonian for several months, has returned to his home in Cynthia. Mr. Norris is a splendid foreman and general man in a printing office and made many friends while here.

Mr. Lucien Burnam is visiting his parents Judge and Mrs. A. R. Burnam.

Mrs. Armer Hise and children have returned from a pleasant visit to Simpsonville, where they visited Mrs. Hise's mother, Mrs. R. E. Quisenberry.

Mrs. R. B. Terrill spent several days last week in Paris.

Hon. Robert Harding, of Danville, was in the city the past week.

Mrs. James W. Caperton and Miss Jamie Caperton her daughter, sailed on Thursday, May 21, from New York to spend the season in London. Later, they will enjoy Paris and Scotland, returning home in the autumn.

Mrs. Everett Witt has been confined to her bed the past few days but her friends hope to see her out again soon. Mr. Witt is now in Cynthia managing the ice business of that city.

Miss Cleo Spicer, of Berea, has been the recent guest of friends in this city.

Mrs. Bert VanWinkle and Mrs. Whyland, of Berea, were in Richmond last week to take the teacher's examination.

Messrs. Tandy and Clarence Moberly, of this county have been the guests of friends in Winchester.

Mrs. Tracy Wallace, of Irvine, was a visitor in Richmond last week.

Mr. Jonah Wagers was in Irvine recently on business.

Misses Pearl and Grace Fields who have been attending the Normal School, have returned to their home in Stanford.

Mrs. Maurice Ashley and little daughter, Lucile, are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sanford at Lancaster.

Mrs. Thomas Best was the guest of relatives in Paris last week.

Miss Sallie Yates McKee has been quite sick for the past ten days at P. A. C. Infirmary.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Goodman, of Cairo, Egypt, are the guests of Judge and Mrs. W. R. Shackelford.

Mrs. Clayton Arnold, of Lancaster, visited her daughter during commencement week and remained for the graduation exercises on Wednesday.

Mrs. H. Hasbrouck Haynes is expected this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton C. Covington.

Mrs. Helburn has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Neale Bennett.

Mrs. J. W. Gordon has returned to her home in Fulton, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Duke Gordon.

Mrs. William Shanks has returned to her home in Stanford after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Baldwin.

Mr. Gaines Jasper who has been attending a military school in Virginia is expected home the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Hugh Dargavel who has been in ill health for some time, was adjudged insane Thursday, and taken to the Asylum at Lexington.

Dr. Murlson Dunn has returned from Chicago.

Miss Elizabeth Gormley has been the guest of relatives in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonah Wagers are at home after a visit of some weeks in El Paso, Texas.

Mrs. French and daughter, of Cincinnati have been the guests of Mrs. Ida Hugely.

Mrs. James White has returned to her home after a visit to Mrs. George Bogard.

We are glad to know Dr. J. G. Crabbe is able to be out after a severe illness of two weeks or more.

Miss May James has been the guest of friends in Lancaster the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Soper and son motored to Lancaster last Sunday and were the guests of relatives.

Miss Stella McWhorter of the Normal School visited her parents at Paint Lick recently.

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Messrs. D. H. Breck and W. D. Oldham attended court in Nicholasville.

Mrs. G. V. Gates, of Portland, Oregon, is here on a visit to Mrs. Wm. H. Grider.

Miss Madue Farris spent the week-end with Miss Ellen Miller, at Ellendale.

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Mrs. S. A. Fletcher has been the guest of Mrs. M. C. Kellogg.

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Miss Jennie Parkes has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Combs and Mrs. Eastin, of Lexington spent last Sunday with Mrs. James W. Smith.

Mrs. J. D. Dykes and daughter, Mrs. Elmer Tate have returned from a trip to Cincinnati.

Mrs. M. M. Harber and Mrs. Hale Dean and children are at home after spending some time in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brock have returned to St. Louis, Missouri, after visiting Prof. and Mrs. Harvey Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Pope are visiting in Bracken County.

Mrs. Chenault has returned to Richmond after a visit to friends in Lancaster.

Mrs. Crutcher, of Crittenden, is the guest of Mrs. Joe Chenault.

Mrs. Carrie Davidson, of Lancaster, is with her daughter Mrs. Z. T. Rice for a visit.

Mrs. T. O. Broadus, wife of our popular grocer, is at the Gibson Infirmary where she will undergo an operation.

Mrs. Broadus has been sick for the last several months.

Mrs. James Wallace, of Irvine, visited her daughter this week and spent several days shopping in the city.

Col. John Allen, the distinguished Commonwealth's Attorney of the Fayette Circuit Court, was in attendance in our Circuit Court this last week.

The Hon. Jesse Cobb has recovered sufficiently from his injuries to visit the city, and was a pleasant caller in our midst on Monday.

Mr. Nelson Curtis, of Richmond, who is spending a week's outing on the Kentucky river fishing, was in the city Wednesday and informed us that he caught 60 frogs Tuesday night.—Estill Tribune.

Mrs. Eugene Todd was operated on at the Gibson Infirmary several days ago, and is doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Oldham and family motored to Carlisle Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Oldham.

Caldwell High School Commencement

Sunday May 31, 8 p. m. Christian Church—Dr. R. H. Crossfield will preach the baccalaureate sermon for the High School.

Tuesday June 2, 8 p. m. High School Auditorium.—The Senior play, "Joyville Junction," will be given by the senior class assisted by pupils from the high school.

Wednesday, June 3, 8 p. m. High School Auditorium.—The music class of Miss Sara Quisenberry will give a recital.

Thursday, June 4, 8 p. m. High School Auditorium.—The musical play by about 150 primary pupils will be presented under the direction of Miss May James.

Friday, June 5, 8 p. m. High School Auditorium.—Mr. Roscoe Gilmore Stott is to deliver the address to the graduating class. His subject is, "My Friend, The World."

The class for 1914 is the largest class ever graduated from Caldwell High School. There are sixteen young ladies and seven young men as follows:

Misses Carrie Allman, Ella Griggs, Margaret Buckley, Tommie House, Rachael Parrish, Minnie Shearer, Mary Shearer, Nancy Shearer, Johnnie Azbill, Marie Ramsey, Lois Powell, Cynthia Davison, Nannie Mae Davison, Mary Lee Douglas, Russell White and Beulah Cotton. Messrs. Karl Goosman, Gordon Barnes, Cressel Carson, Edwin Turley, Harry Powell, Robt. Arnold and Earnest Congleton.

For the first time in the history of the school, Madison Institute has gotten out a paper, "The Mayflower" which would be a credit to any of the large schools of the country.

The editors are Misses Austin Page Lilly, Mary Frances Hise and Margaret Mills Arnold.

If you want the highest price for your wool then take it to E. Deatherage, 1933p

If your paper is not coming to you please notify the Madisonian.

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Commencement Exercises Madison Institute 59th Year

The commencement exercises of the class of 1914, Madison Institute, were held at the Christian Church on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, and seldom has a sweeter, more chaste service been witnessed in the beautiful building.

The platform, the altar and choir railing were banked with green foliage and white blossoms, a fit setting for the eight fair graduates of the class of 1914—Misses Austin Page Lilly, Margaret Mills Arnold, Corelia March Barnes, Ula Belle Blakeman, Mary Frances Hise, Eleanor Porter Hagan, Kathryn Rob Pitman and Zelia Ford Rice.

Promptly at the hour of ten Mrs. G. W. Pickels began the march and the ushers came slowly down the aisles single file followed by the graduates dressed in pure white and carrying shower bouquets of yellow roses.

The invocation was pronounced by Dr. E. B. Barnes after which Miss Eleanor Porter Hagan read her essay, "Memory's Message," followed by Miss Ula Belle Blakeman, whose subject was, "A Plea for the Classics," "Hark! the Village Bells" was then sung by the school.

Miss Austin Page Lilly made the "Speech of Presentation for the class of 1914," presenting a beautiful picture "Stratford on Avon" to Madison Institute. "Response for the school" was given by Miss Helen Rollins Bennett. A quartet, "A Bed-time Song" was sung by Misses Sadie Blair, Henrietta Luxon, Martha Yates McKee and Marie Louise Kellogg. Misses Margaret Mills Arnold and Corelia March Barnes read their essays, "American Ideals" and "Culture and Service."

Ave Maria—(Mendelssohn) was sung by the school, at the conclusion of which Mr. Cassidy presented the diplomas to the class. Hon. W. B. Smith made a beautiful talk to the graduates, urging them to be steadfast, to resist temptation, to press forward knowing no failure, "to sail on and on and on."

The exercises concluded with the singing of the Parting Hymn written by Miss Austin Page Lilly, and the impressive benediction by Dr. E. B. Barnes.

C. K. Marshall will preach at Mt. Zion next Sunday the 31st.

Rev. Yeaman, formerly of Henderson, filled the pulpit at the Presbyterian church.

Rev. B. C. Horton preached a most interesting sermon on Sunday night at the Christian church.

Dr. Quisenberry preached at the regular services at the Baptist church morning and evening.

Rev. Mann so well and favorably known here is being mentioned as a suitable person for the high office of Bishop in the Methodist church.

The contest began on last Sunday between the Sunday schools of the first Christian church of this city, and that of Danville. Attendance here 312, collection \$18.28.

Lee Parker Dead

Mr. Lee Parker, son of Mrs. Rebecca Parker of this city, died last Thursday night after a short illness. He is survived by his mother and several brothers.

The funeral was held at the Richmond cemetery on Sunday afternoon.

Bank Stock Sold

The executors of the estate of the late Ben L. Banks sold ten shares of stock of the State Bank & Trust Company at \$138.50. Spears Turley and J. A. Cox became the purchasers.

On Wednesday evening a cantata "Queen Esther" will be given by Berea College, and will be repeated on Monday. As many as can do so, should attend as the entertainment is one of the highest order.

Rough and Dressed Lumber, 1615 Blanton Lumber Co. Phone 425.

Found Dead

Friday afternoon the body of an unknown man was found floating in a pond on a farm of Col. H. B. Hanger near this city. Squire Wm. Adams was notified and held an inquest over the remains. The body was brought to town and was without identification for some time. A letter found in the man's pocket which was addressed to Merrill Friend, of Winston, Ky., led some to believe that the body was that of Friend, but many people who knew Friend intimately and who viewed the remains did not so identify him. Later on information was received from Winston that Friend was alive and a description of an uncle of Mr. Friend, J. C. Brandenburg, was telephoned to the authorities here and the description given tallied with the clothing, probable age, and other physical appearance of the dead man.

The body proved to be that of Mr. J. C. Brandenburg, of near Connersville, Ind. No marks of violence were found on the body. The identification was so complete that no doubt is felt as to the identity of the person.

Real Estate Transfers

To Date

J. D. Chenault to C. F. Chenault, 3 A. @ \$100.

J. R. Azbill to J. W. Carson, 28 A. @ \$5700.

Commissioner to S. D. Sanders, 9 1-10 A. @ \$1446.

Robt. White to Thos. J. Ballard, 36 A. @ \$3094.

Minerva Chrisman to Arch Boggs, 1 A. @ \$15.00.

Ann Maret to Arch Boggs, 4 A. @ \$125.

TOWN LOTS

S. S. Parks to J. B. Wilson, Panola, \$1750.

Jno. W. Blanton to Mary Ann Willis, Richmond, \$300.

R. C. Boggs to Smith Denny, Richmond, \$100.

Jno. Beverett to Richmond Hotel, Richmond, not stated.

Sam Shearer to Leslie Farris, Farrisstown, \$80.00.

Death of William Crutcher

Mr. William Crutcher died at his home at Pine Bluff, Ark., on Friday morning of tuberculosis.

Mr. Crutcher formerly lived here, being the son of Mr. S. W. Crutcher, a prominent minister in the Christian church. He was also at one time associated in the drug business with Mr. Bert Stockton. He has many friends in the county who deeply deplore his death.

Kentucky the Best Place After All

Col. W. P. Walton, who left here last fall to make his home in Orlando, Fla., where he became associated with his brother E. C. Walton, in the publication of the Daily Reporter-Star of that city, has sold his interest in the paper to his brother, and will return to Kentucky about the middle of June to reside permanently.

Cutting Affray

On last Tuesday afternoon two men belonging to the carnival, B. F. Moore a white man and Hiran Awl a negro, became engaged in a quarrel and a cutting affray resulted. Both men were seriously wounded, though Moore's injuries were more serious than the colored man's. He was taken to one of the local hospitals and has been receiving medical attention.

Beautiful Windows

Beautiful new art glass windows have been placed throughout the first floor of the Christian Church.

These windows were the gift of the Ladies Aid, which Society has worked most faithfully under the leadership of the President, Mrs. Joe Boggs and the Vice President, Mrs. J. M. Poyntz.

Moving Pictures

A large moving picture concern is here this week taking local scenes which will be thrown on the canvas at this place.

Views of the Normal School and the Christian Church it is said, will be taken Sunday.

The latter showing the congregation as it leaves the building.

Manhattan!

Stands for The Best in Shirts that fit and wear, colors fast, patterns exclusive. Also the Manhattan Union Suit for men has all the excellency that high-grade underwear possesses.

That Silky Finish

that gives the comfort that you so much want in Summer Underwear. Short lengths, Cool and Comfortable. Many other styles in Men's Underwear and Shirts. Call and see.



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Adler Clothes

Solve vexatious problems quickly, and in such instances we stand right at your elbow with wise and friendly counsel.

Arrayed in a new suit you see yourself with your eyes; but we see you with our eyes—as other people see you, and sometimes we are able to give our customers very valuable suggestions.

We can tell at a glance whether your selection can be improved upon.

And if it can we unhesitatingly tell you so, for we want you to get the best that can be had, not only in the matter of fit, but in a suit that will add to your appearance.

Catch the idea?

Yes? Well, then just a word about the new Spring styles that are here in such excellent and satisfying variety.

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GREATEST OF ALL MEMORIAL DAYS WAS THE REUNION AT GETTYSBURG



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THREE SCENES AT GETTYSBURG DURING THE FIFTY-YEAR-AFTER CELEBRATION.

NEVER again will the world see so splendid a reunion of veterans of the civil war as that which assembled at Gettysburg July 2, 3 and 4, 1913, the fiftieth anniversary of the greatest battle of the war. Fifty thousand veterans of both sides gathered to participate in the formal and informal celebrations and to fraternize not only with their brethren of their own side, but with the survivors of the other cause. It was the glorious climax of the "one land, one flag" movement which has united north and south since the unhappy days of the war.

A Southern Spy A Memorial Day Story.

By CAPTAIN F. A. MITCHELL.

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IN our regiment in Virginia in 1863 was a soldier in the ranks who was a thoroughbred. No one even of his own company seemed to know exactly when or where he enlisted, but he was a Marylander. Maryland was a border state, the inhabitants being part northern and part southern in their sympathies.

There was nothing unusual about Davis' fighting on the Union side, for in the border states whole Federal regiments were made up of their citizens. But it was singular to hear him abusing Confederates with the accent of a southern man.

Davis in other respects was a good natured fellow, perfectly fearless and seemed to have no selfishness in his nature—indeed, was a type of the real southern gentleman. We wondered why he had not been able to obtain a commission, but he reminded us that the flower of the Maryland population was on the southern side. Maryland was not a good state for northerners.

We were cavalry, and Davis was one of the best of us so far as horsemanship was concerned. He was constantly being punished for roaming about wherever he liked. He rode all over our camps and, whenever he took a fancy to do so, sallied forth single handed against the Confederate pickets. That he was a good fighter was evident whenever there was trouble on the picket lines. On such occasions he would ride right up under the enemy's rifles. He always came back unhurt, and we could never understand how he managed to escape.

One night while out on vedette duty Davis disappeared. Shooting was heard in the direction of the point where he was stationed, and it was believed that at last he had reaped the payment of his recklessness. A party was sent out next morning to look for his body, but it was not found.

Six months passed, during which everything was changed with us. Armies are like packs of cards—they are constantly being shuffled. One day while on picket duty I saw a man running from the Confederate lines toward ours, while men on that side were firing at him. "There comes a deserter," I remarked. The man stumbled two or three times, fell, got up and came on, reaching us in safety. I was at

the time a sergeant in command of the picket post into which he ran, and he came right up to me.

What was my astonishment to see Davis!

Davis' astonishment at seeing me was equally great. Besides astonishment, I noticed chagrin. His face fell momentarily, then, grasping my hand, he shook it heartily, exclaiming:

"How are you, Charlie? What luck to come in right among my own boys?" I withdrew my hand, saying to him, "Don't shake with deserters."

"Deserter! I reckon I am a deserter. I had to be or fight with those cursed southerners."

"I mean deserter from our side."

Davis looked hurt. He told a story of having ridden on the night of his



DAVIS' ASTONISHMENT AT SEEING ME WAS GREAT.

disappearance right in behind a Confederate camp. The opening was closed behind him. There was nothing for him to do but surrender. Being a southerner, as was proved by his accent, he had told his captors, he said, that he had been forced into the northern service and had long been watching for an opportunity to desert. Notwithstanding this story, I marched Mr. Davis up to headquarters, where the general commanding interviewed him. The general, not being satisfied with this passing from one side to another and weighing against

him the fact that he was a southerner, ordered that he be held under arrest and charges of desertion be made against him.

Davis laughed at the idea of charges against a man who hated Confederates as he hated poison, and if he felt the least doubt about his being able to clear himself none of us could detect it.

But the evidence came in heavy against him. He was recognized as having belonged to an entirely different corps from ours and as having played the same game before, doubtless serving as a Federal soldier and carrying information to Confederate generals. Before the court finished the case it came out that Davis belonged to an old Maryland family, that he held a commission as lieutenant colonel in the Confederate army and was high in favor with several Confederate generals, whom he had furnished with enough information to enable any army to defeat twice its numbers.

Davis was sentenced to be hanged. His family might have saved his life had he been convicted of desertion. Indeed, they were handicapped, knowing that he was a spy—in fact, an officer of high rank in the Confederate army. The best they could do for him was to obtain a change in the mode of his death. The sentence was made shooting instead of hanging.

Davis maintained the same coolness of outward appearance to the moment of his death. Before he was a spy of the enemy; now he was one of nature's princes.

AN OLD BATTLEFIELD.

The softest whisperings of the scent of earth.
And rust and roses in the cannon's mouth.

And where the thunders of the fight were born
The wind's sweet tenor in the standing corn.

With songs of larks, low lingering in the loam,
And low skies bending over love and home.

But still the thought: Somewhere upon the hills
Or where the vales ring with the whippoorwills,
Sad, wistful eyes and broken hearts that beat
For the loved sound of unreturning feet.

And when the oaks their leafy banners wave
Dream of the battle and an unmarked grave.
—Frank L. Stanton.

WILSON IN A TENT

PRESIDENT MAKES HIS SUMMER HEADQUARTERS IN THE OLD FASHIONED GARDEN.

SUBSTITUTE FOR EXERCISE

Life in Fresh Air Is Expected to Do Much Toward Keeping the Chief Executive in Trim During the Hot Weather.

By GEORGE CLINTON.

Washington.—President Wilson has pitched a headquarters tent in the old-fashioned flower garden lying just south of the one-story annex, which forms the east approach to the White House. He has made up his mind that he will spend a large part of the summer in Washington and as the summers here notoriously are hot, he intends to get all the breezes and fresh air that he can while at his trying administration work.

Unlike two of his predecessors in office, Theodore Roosevelt and William Howard Taft, Woodrow Wilson has not been able to get all the exercise that he needs to keep himself in perfect physical trim. Physicians say continuous fresh air will make up to some extent for the lack of bodily exercise. It must not be understood that the president is a sick man, for he is not; he simply is somewhat tired and has determined to do that which will overcome the tired feeling as much as possible. Mr. Wilson is no more tired, perhaps, than are other workers in Washington, but it must be remembered that he has about twice as much to do and a great many times as much anxiety as fall to the lot of other officials in the capital city.

When Mr. Taft came into office there were many alterations made in the east wing of the White House, where the cabinet room, the president's private office and the offices of the clerical force are located. The president's office is a circular room in the south side of the office annex. It communicates by a passageway with the office of the private secretary, which is at the southwest corner of the building. The outlook from the president's room and from the cabinet room as well as from one end of Secretary Tumulty's room is over the great south grounds of the White House and on to the monument and beyond that to the Potomac river.

Tent Site Well Protected.

The change which President Taft made necessitated an encroachment on the grounds of the tennis court, where President Roosevelt and his tennis cabinet played games almost daily for the seven years in which the colonel was in the White House. If the tennis court had not been built upon it would have made an ideal site for President Wilson's outdoor camp, for it would have been close to Secretary Tumulty's office and to the offices of the executive clerks. The old-fashioned garden, in which the president's tent is located, has a hedge of privet on two sides of it, a third side being enclosed by the east White House wing, while the fourth side is open to the great grounds of the house and beyond, them to the river over what are known as the white lot, the monument grounds and the Potomac drive.

The old-fashioned garden was planned and planted by Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, who found what she thought were too many "botanical specimens" in the White House grounds. In other words, too many unfamiliar flowers. So the old-fashioned garden was laid out and largely was planted by the president's wife's hands. There are lilacs, syringas, pansies, sweet-williams, bachelor's buttons, forget-me-nots, hollyhocks, peonies, fuchsias, nasturtiums and all the rest. President Wilson will have a fragrant old-fashioned environment.

Exercise for Presidents.

As for exercise, President Roosevelt and President Taft, it is reported, used to say they would find a way, or make it, to get enough outdoor recreation to keep themselves in trim. It was Mr. Roosevelt's custom to play a game of tennis and then either to go for a long walk or a long hard ride. During the first three years of his administration President Taft played golf on one day and rode horseback the next. His horse was one specially selected for him by the quartermaster general of the army, an old cavalry officer, and by a colonel of the mounted service.

President Wilson takes virtually his only outdoor exercise at the game of golf which he plays in a retired spot on the Virginia side of the Potomac river, where there is a country club with a limited membership and where he can be fairly safe from intrusion. When Mr. Wilson was president of Princeton college he rode a bicycle, frequently taking long trips through the country. He found it a good form of exercise and he kept it up to a considerable extent when he was governor of New Jersey. After his election as president it was presumed that he would continue to ride a bicycle, but so far as anyone knows he has not used one since he took the oath of office as chief executive. The president will continue to play golf on such days as he can get away from the White House. It is expected that his tent life and the golf together will make him able to keep pace with all the exacting duties of the hot summer time in Washington.

The Oldest Veteran at the Gettysburg Reunion

GETTYSBURG saw many old men, of course, during the great reunion of veterans last year, but none other nearly so old as Micajah Weiss, who had completed a century and a decade of life when he joined with his Union comrades in celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of the great battle. He was born on June 3, 1803, and was thus 110 years old when he journeyed from his home in Beaver Brook, N. Y., to Gettysburg. Old Micajah made the trip in an automobile, reached the encampment in good physical shape and remained until the close of the celebration on July 4. During his stay at Gettysburg he occupied much of the position of a



Photo by American Press Association.
MICAJAH WEISS, 110 YEARS OLD.

guest of honor, for veterans from both sides assembled to see and talk to "the oldest man at Gettysburg."

Weiss served through the four years of the war in the One Hundred and Fourteenth Pennsylvania volunteers, enlisting at the age of fifty-eight. His mental alertness and his willingness to talk of his war experiences astonished visitors to Gettysburg in view of his very advanced age. An interesting incident of the encampment was the photographing together of Weiss and Colonel John L. Clem, who was the youngest veteran at the Gettysburg encampment. Colonel Clem was only sixty-one at the time of the reunion, although that occurred fifty years after the battle.

Old Micajah is a native of Delaware Water Gap, Pa. All his life, save his four years in the Union army, was spent in the woods hunting, fishing and trapping. He survived three wives and at the time of the Gettysburg celebration was living with his fourth wife, who was seventy-eight years old.

When Weiss and his wife walked up to the United States provision hospital at Gettysburg orderlies sprang forward. They thought he was ill. Weiss waved them aside with his cane. "Not yet," he said. "I only stopped in to see if a tired and hungry old man could get a bite of sandwich and a bit of coffee to stimulate him so he could continue on to his wife feeling stronger."

He was fixed up in a hurry. The surgeons wanted him to come in and lie down because he was overheated, but he would not hear of it.

The veterans at Gettysburg seemed old, but it is certain that some of them will be twenty-four years hence to celebrate the seventy-fifth anniversary of the battle. Bakeman, the last soldier of the Revolution, lived eighty-six years after peace was signed, or until 1890.

COWARDS WERE SCARCE.

All Sorts of Men Made the Best Soldiers, Said Hawley.

General Hawley was asked one-day by a Hartford reporter, "Who made the best soldiers?"

"Who made the best soldiers?" repeated General Hawley reflectively. "You mean what kind of men make the best soldiers, I suppose. It was my experience that the best soldiers came from all walks of life and were of all kinds and conditions. When I was captain I had a great, towering private that was a swearing, frenzied creature in battle, absolutely fearless, and I had another soldier, a little fellow not more than seventeen years old, who looked like a girl, and he was as calm and brave a soldier as ever went into an engagement."

"He was wounded in one battle, and I saw him drag himself and his gun down to a stream. There he washed his wounded leg, bound it up with bandages made from his shirt, and he came back proudly to see firing line where he stayed all day. There were many men of special bravery in every company, and those who were cowards were very few, as my experience in the late war taught me."

For Sale

I have two splendid lots located just immediately across the street from C. C. Wallace, which I will sell or trade for improved property in this city. These lots are in the best part of the city, will always be in the best part and are convenient and desirable. Will sell on terms to suit purchaser.

Grant E. Lilly.

FIGHTING IN THE "HORNETS' NEST"

A Memorial Day Reminiscence
by a Congressman.

MY first baptism of blood was at Fort Donelson, on the Cumberland river near Nashville, Tenn., and a terrific fight it was," said Representative Sanford Kirkpatrick of Iowa, who has seen thirty years of remarkable service in the internal revenue service since the war.

"The weather was bitterly cold for that part of the country, and, following as it did the battles at Fort Henry, the wounded of our army suffered terribly. All of our troops were in sore need of tents and even blankets."

"The fort was right on the banks of the Cumberland and consisted of strong outer works, with almost impregnable inner works in the shape of a square. About 4 o'clock of the first day of the fight I was standing near the colonel of our regiment, the Second Iowa Infantry, who was Colonel J. M. Tuttle. General Smith, whom we all knew by sight, came riding up and addressed

himself to Colonel Tuttle in the hearing of all the men.

"Do you believe, God ever made men brave enough to take the fort on your order hill?" asked General Smith, pointing to the grim fort on the river bank. "Yes," replied Colonel Tuttle laconically, and he promptly ordered the 'charge'.

"There was a heavy shelling of felled trees between our position and the fort, which lay in such position that when we charged the Confederates could not reach us until we were within about a thousand yards of them. There were 570 men in our regiment when they moved forward, and at the first volley, after we got within the fatal thousand yard limit, nearly half of the men fell killed or wounded. There were exactly 296 of our regiment killed or wounded within three minutes after the action began."

"Those of us left rushed up, and so fierce was the onslaught that that part of the field was dubbed by the Confederates the 'Hornets' Nest' and our brigade was nicknamed the 'Hornets' Nest brigade,' which appellation is still carried by the survivors and always alluded to at Memorial day exercises in Iowa."

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Hero Unaware.
Reginald de Bacchus, prodigal son of a millionaire soapmaker, sat up in bed and moaned for water.
"This is the end of my social career," he muttered. "I drank too much last night at the ball and staggered into everybody."
"Ardly, sir, ardly," murmured his valet, apologetically. "Hevery one's praisng you for inventing a new dance."—Brooklyn Life.

Collecting a Crowd.
"I don't know what to do to collect a crowd," said the street salesman. "My old methods are all getting too familiar."
"Nothing is easier," replied Mr. Chuggins. "If you want to collect a crowd simply pretend that your automobile is broken and that you are going to try to fix it."

Performances at Value.
Actor—Must insist on being paid for rehearsals.
Manager—What on earth for? I never heard of such a thing.
Actor—Because lately I've had so many six weeks' rehearsals for a ten days' run. But I don't mind giving the performances free.—Punch.

Not Like His Grandfather.
"Doctor, I'm getting tired of this everlasting darning. You ought to have more respect for me than that. My grandfather was one of the earliest settlers."
"Well, I wish you had inherited that quality, and would settle early."

Unanswerable.
"My father kin lick your father," said little Tommy Snagg to little Bobby Bluster.
"Mebby he kin," said little Bobby Bluster, "but he ain't a-goin' to do it, 'cause my father is your father's boss."

TOO ILL TO LOOK WELL.



Mrs. Goodhart—Couldn't find work. Perhaps you didn't look well.
Dusty Rhodes—No, mum, I didn't look well—because I was ill.

Why He's Famous.
There was a post-impressionist who doubted until he fainted. And no one in the whole wide world could tell what 'twas he painted.

Tush, Tush!
"Ma," inquired Bobby, "hasn't pa a queer idea of heaven?"
"Why do you ask that?"
"Cause I heard him tell Mr. Naylor that the week you spent at the seashore seemed like heaven to him."

On Leap Year.
Weary William—I wouldn't have many national holidays if I had my way—only 365, that's all.
Frayed Philip—So yer'd make us pore fellers work one day every four years, would yer, yer slave driver!

Exclusiveness.
She—No, I read hardly any of the modern novels.
He—Why is that?
She—There are really so few people in fiction nowadays that are fit to associate with.

Gentility.
"Just think of it, Mrs. Brown has got the telephone fixed. I wouldn't have one."
"Why not?"
"You have to associate with anybody."—Punch.

Worth Remembering.
Doctor (to patient)—You've had a pretty close call. It's only your strong constitution that pulled you through.
Patient—Well, doctor, remember that when you make out your bill.

Manlike.
Mrs. Justwed—Robert, just think what the neighbors will say when they hear that I do my own work.
Mr. Justwed—Whose work do you want to do?—Successful Farming.

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MEMORIAL DAY'S PRETTIEST CEREMONY.

IN the opinion of many persons the most touching ceremony of Memorial day is casting flowers on the waters in memory of those who perished at sea. Sometimes a little boat covered with flowers is used. As the tiny vessel, blossom laden, passes down the current it bears with it the silent prayers of those assembled to witness the observance. Here is an account of the flower ceremony as practiced on a recent Memorial day in San Francisco:

"The tides of yesterday, as they swung backward and forward over the sea, were laden with the blossoms of Memorial day. Though the ocean is fickle and the graves of its heroes are unmarked and unknown, many a wave carried emblems of the love and honor which a freed and united people bear for the loyal men who battled in the years gone by for America's independence, first on land, then on sea, and then for her unity.

"The flowers were destined for the rolling waves which surge above the



FLOWER BOAT ADRIPT ON RIVER.

resting places of the nation's heroes. The sentiments are beautifully expressed in flinging to the sea the flowers which on land graced the identified graves of loyal men whose bravery is recorded in history and whose valor the world sings.

"A solemn hush and awe fell as the chaplain offered up a prayer to the God in whom the nation trusts. A brief prayer it was—a simple petition without oratorical effort, a plea from the nation straight from the heart to the throne of the Almighty.

"After the prayer there were an address, a recitation and an oration. 'Nearer, My God, to Thee' was sung by a quartet. Then followed the throwing of flowers to the waves. With bared heads the entire congregation joined. It was as though each wave which rolled by was intrusted with a burden of floral greeting which would be carried inevitably above the sepulcher of a forgotten hero, there to rise and sink with rhythmic swing, an expression of the people's gratitude to one who had died mid the roaring of cannon and the crash of ship on ship. A detail of the naval militia from the United States steamship Marston fired the minute guns and then the audience joined in singing 'America,' after which the Lord's Prayer was recited.

"But next to the consigning of flowers to the waves the playing of 'taps' was the thrilling item on the program. It was played by a veteran of the navy. The notes floated out over the billows like a benediction."

OLD GLORY ON MEMORIAL DAY.

OF all the many questions that are constantly being asked the war department at Washington to answer the one most frequently put before it is as to the correct position of flying Old Glory on Memorial day at army posts and stations.

To those who have no relation to the military service it is almost the universal belief that the flag should be displayed at half staff all of May 30, but this is not so, for paragraph 444 of the army regulations prescribes as follows: "444. On Memorial day, May 30, at all army posts and stations the national flag will be displayed at half staff from sunrise till midday, and immediately before noon the band, or field music, will play some appropriate air, and the national salute of twenty-one guns will be fired at 12 m. at all posts and stations provided with artillery. At the conclusion of this memorial tribute at noon the flag will be hoisted to the top of the staff and will remain there until sunset. When hoisted to the top of the staff the flag will be saluted by playing one or more appropriate patriotic airs. In this way fitting testimonial of respect for the heroic dead and honor to their patriotic devotion will be appropriately rendered."

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CONGRESSMEN WILL BE CALLED ON SOON TO VOTE ON PROHIBITION AMENDMENT.

SUFFRAGE ALSO UP TO THEM

Judiciary Committee Has Refused Longer to Take the Blame for Inaction on These Two Much Argued Matters.

BY GEORGE CLINTON.
Washington.—Prohibition and woman suffrage are today squarely before the house of representatives as questions to be voted upon. For years the friends of both causes have been attempting to secure record votes on the questions in house and senate and for years they have failed. Now it seems likely that the prohibition amendment will be voted on in the house before the adjournment of the present session. Suffrage possibly may have to wait.

The two subjects are before the house in the form of proposed amendments to the constitution of the United States. They both have been in the keeping of the judiciary committee for some time, and if things were as they used to be in congress it is probable the committee never would have reported them to the house. The members of the committee, however, were moved by the constant charges made by the friends of both suffrage and prohibition that they did not dare report the amendments and that they were holding them back also because the representatives did not care to be put on record for or against either amendment.

For a long time suffragists and advocates of prohibition have been urging members of the house to see to it that both amendments were brought to a vote. The answers which the prohibitionists and the suffragists received were alike in virtually every instance. The proponents of the amendments were told that the judiciary committee had not acted and that nothing could be done unless that body made a report.

Put Up to the House.

So it was that the members of the judiciary committee were made the targets and they resented what they said was the throwing on their shoulders by the other representatives of the blame for inaction. The committee resolved to let the house fight the matter out for itself, and it has reported both amendments, although no recommendation was made for passage or for non-passage of the two proposals.

There is some humor in the situation in which the house finds itself today. There are plenty of members of congress who think that prohibition may be a good thing and yet who fear that if they vote for the amendment all the forces of the liquor interests in the United States will be used to compass their defeat. On the other hand they are afraid that if they vote against the amendment all the forces of prohibition and of the temperance cause generally will be used against them at the polls.

On the proposed suffrage amendment to the constitution the position of the representatives is much like that in which they find themselves on the question of prohibition. Women vote in a good many states already, and woman has a tremendous influence in whatever state she lives. Representatives do not like the idea of having the suffrage influence against them and they do not like the idea of having the anti-suffrage influence against them. They are in a peculiar position and it seems to some observers in Washington that they will do what all representatives ought to do, vote as they believe and let the consequences be what they may.

Provision for Prohibition.

The prohibition amendment to the constitution which has been proposed and upon which the house probably must vote declares that scientific research "has demonstrated that alcohol is a narcotic poison, destructive and degenerating to the human organism and that its distribution as a beverage or contained in food lays a staggering economic burden upon the shoulders of the people, lowers to an appalling degree the average standard of character of our citizenship, thereby undermining the public morals and the foundation of free institutions, produces widespread crime, pauperism and insanity, inflicts disease and untimely death upon hundreds of thousands of citizens and blights with degeneracy their children unborn, threatening the future integrity and the very life of the nation."

Following this preamble the real amendment to the constitution is proposed. It forbids the sale, manufacture for sale, transportation for sale, importation for sale, and exportation for sale of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes in the United States and in territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof.

To congress is reserved the right to provide for the manufacture, sale, importation and transportation of intoxicating liquors for sacramental, medicinal, mechanical, pharmaceutical and scientific purposes and for the use in the arts.

The suffrage amendment provides as does the other that the question of a suffrage amendment to the constitution be submitted to the legislatures of the states.

On Memorial Day Honor Women Nurses of the War

THE women who did hospital service continuously, or who kept themselves near the base of armies in the field, or who moved among the camps and traveled with the corps, were an exceptional class—as rare as heroines always are—a class representing no social grade, but coming from all, belonging to no rank or age of life in particular, sometimes young and sometimes old, sometimes refined and sometimes rude, now of fragile physical aspect and then of extraordinary robustness, but, in all cases, women



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WOMAN NURSE AT GETTYSBURG REUNION.

with a mighty love and earnestness in their hearts, a love and pity, and ability to show them forth.

Moved by an indomitable desire to serve in person the victims of wounds and sickness, a few hundred women, impelled by instincts which assured them of their ability to endure the hardships, overcome the obstacles and adjust themselves to the unusual and unfeminine circumstances in which they would be placed, made their way through all obstructions at home and at the seat of war or in the hospitals to the bedside of sick and wounded.

They were really heroines. They conquered their feminine sensibility at the sight of blood and wounds; their native antipathy to disorder, confusion and violence subdued the rebellious delicacy of their more exquisite senses; lived coarsely and dressed and slept rudely; they studied the caprices of men to whom their ties were simply human—men often ignorant, feeble minded, out of their senses; raving with pain and fever. They had a sterner service to bear with the pride, the official arrogance, the hardness or the folly, perhaps the impertinence and presumption, of half trained medical men whom the urgencies of the case had fastened on the service.—"Woman's Work in the Civil War."

Chickamauga.

The word Chickamauga is of Indian origin. It is said to be a Cherokee name signifying "the river of death."

The stream received its name from the accidental drowning of the people of a village by a sudden rise attributed to a cloudburst.

"War" Governors North and South

HERE is the list of "war" governors: California furnished John G. Downey, Leland Stanford and Frederick F.

Low; Connecticut, William A. Buckingham; Delaware, William Burton and William Cannon; Illinois, Richard Yates and Richard J. Oglesby; Indiana, Oliver P. Morton; Iowa, Samuel J. Kirkwood and William M. Stone; Kansas, Charles Robinson and Thomas C. Arney; Maine, Israel Washburn, Jr., Abner Coburn and Samuel Cony; Massachusetts, John A. Andrew; Michigan, Austin Blair and Henry H. Crapo; Minnesota, Alexander Ramsey and Stephen Miller; Nevada, Henry G. Blasdel; New Hampshire, Ichabod Goodwin, Nathaniel S. Berry and Joseph A. Gilmore; New Jersey, Charles S. Olden and John Parker; New York, Edwin D. Morgan, Horatio Seymour, Dennison, David Tod and John Brodhead; Ohio, John Whitaker and Addison C. Gibbs; Pennsylvania, Andrew G. Curtin; Rhode Island, William Sprague; John R. Bartlett, acting, William C. Cozzens, acting, and James Y. Smith; Vermont, Erastus Fairbanks, Frederick Holbrook and J. Gregory Smith; West Virginia, Francis H. Pickens, provisional, and Arthur I. Boreman; Wisconsin, Alexander W. Randall, Louis F. Harvey, Edward Salomon and James T. Lewis.

The southern governors were: Alabama, Andrew B. Moore, John Gill Shorter and Thomas H. Watts; Arkansas, Henry M. Rector, Harris Flanagan and Isaac Murphy; Florida, Madison S. Perry and John Milton; Georgia, Joseph E. Brown; Louisiana, Thomas O. Moore and Henry W. Allen; Union military governors, George F. Shepley and Michael Hahn; Mississippi, John P. Pettus, Charles Clarke and Jacob Thompson; North Carolina, John W. Ellis, H. T. Clark, acting, and Zebulon B. Vance; South Carolina, Francis W. Pickens, M. L. Bonham and A. G. Magrath; Tennessee, Isham G. Harris and Andrew Johnson, Union military governor; Texas, Samuel Houston, Edward Clark, acting, Francis R. Lubbock and Pendleton Murrah; Virginia, John Letcher and William Smith.

The border state governors were: Kentucky, Beriah Magoffin, James F. Robinson and Thomas E. Bramlette; Maryland, Thomas H. Hicks and A. W. Bradford; Missouri, C. F. Jackson; Union, H. R. Gamble and T. C. Fletcher.

Whole Army From "Little Rhody."

One of the Rhode Island boys in the civil war on picket duty near Yorktown, Va., declared a truce with a Confederate soldier. This frequently happened during the war. "What regiment do you belong to?" asked the inquisitive Yankee. "The Seventeenth Georgia," was the reply. "And what is yours?" "The One Hundred and Fifth Rhode Island." The Confederate gave a long, low whistle and departed.

General Smith's Threat.

"Extra Billy" Smith, the Confederate general, was as irascible as he was brave. One day he had his soldiers on an exceedingly difficult march. When they halted the general had a hard time getting them started again.

Finally he exclaimed, "If you fellows don't get up pretty quick I'll march the regiment off without you and leave you all behind."

WHERE WAS IT YOU SAID YOU FOUGHT?

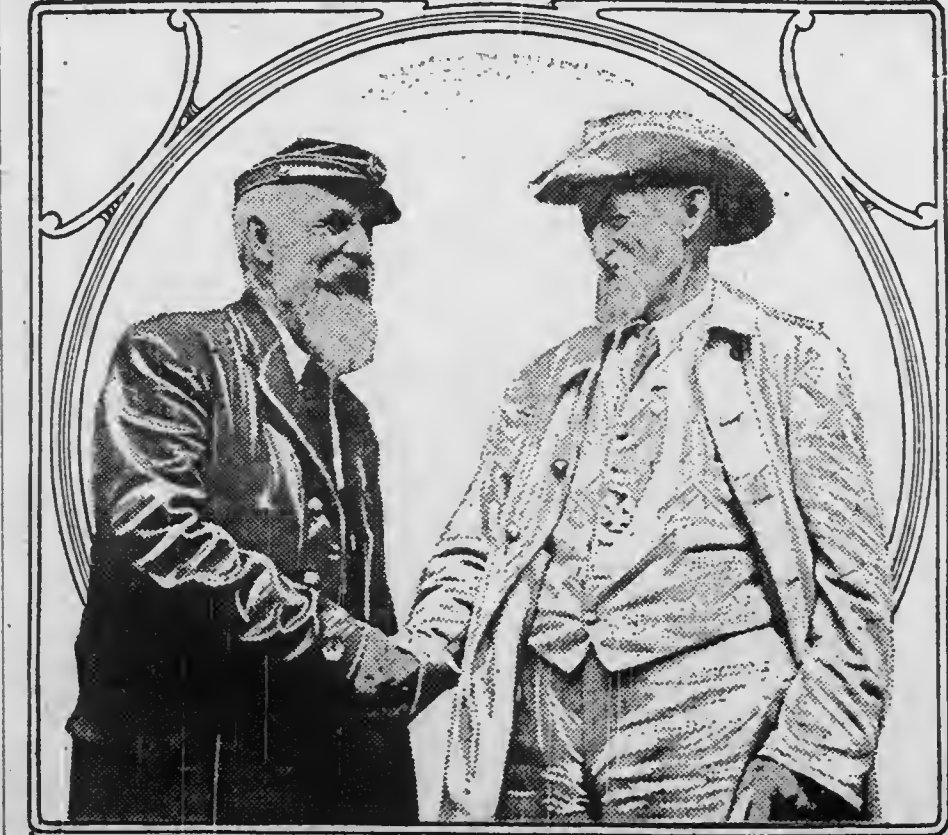


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HEY can't forget there was a war, The men who bore the battle's brunt, For some left brothers on the field, And some lost limbs along the front.

But grizzled Yank and Johnny Reb Long years ago learned to forget The rancor and the bitterness. To each the other's just "Old Vet!"

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Flea One Would Avoid.

The most injurious flea is the Chigoe, or sand flea, which comes from the Kerguelen Islands, in the Indian ocean. There is also one with claws like those of a lobster, which is found on a small bird in South America.

She Had Tried.

"Papa, mamma says that one-half the world doesn't know how the other half lives." "Well, she shouldn't blame herself, dear, it isn't her fault."

Casus Belli.

"Why do they hate each other so?" "They are rivals." "Oh, both trying to marry the same girl, eh? That sort of thing certainly does arouse man's primal passions." "In this case it is worse than that. They are both trying to marry the same fortune."—Houston Post.

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THE KITCHEN CABINET

DON'T be a wobbler. If you think a thing, think it strong enough to live it, even though you may be too wise to argue about it. —Lloyd.

SEASONABLE DISHES.

Procure a good size beef tenderloin, slit one side open and lay in a dressing made as follows: One cupful of dry grated bread crumbs, one tablespoonful of minced parsley and one of mixed herbs, one tablespoonful of chopped onion fried in a tablespoonful of butter. Season with a teaspoon of salt and a few dashes of pepper. If the mixture does not seem moist enough, add a little more melted butter. Sew up the opening and place strips of bacon or fat salt pork over it, skewering them into the meat. Rub well with salt and dust with flour. When thoroughly brown remove the tenderloin, add a tablespoonful of flour to the pan and add a cupful of boiling water with two tablespoonfuls of chopped gherkins or pickles and a tablespoonful of chopped olives. If sufficient salt was used in the meat the gravy will need none; but much tasting of food is necessary to make it palatable.

Codfish With Oyster Sauce.—The homely codfish is here made a dish fit for the best occasion. Take three pounds of the fish and wash it thoroughly. In the kettle place three quarts of water, one teaspoonful of salt, one onion, one carrot sliced, one quarter of a bay leaf, three sprigs of parsley and a teaspoon of pepper corns tied loosely in a small cheesecloth. Wrap the fish in cheesecloth and cook slowly, not to break it.

When the flesh begins to draw from the bones, lift it out and take off the cloth and put the fish on a hot platter. Surround with potatoes boiled, then sliced. In a saucepan prepare the following sauce, to be ready to serve with the fish: Take two tablespoonfuls of butter, and when bubbling hot add two tablespoonfuls of flour, cook until smooth and thick. Add a pint of the fish broth, salt and pepper to taste and a pint of oysters which have been rinsed and finely chopped. Cook three minutes, draw to one side, add a tablespoonful of lemon juice and the yolks of three eggs mixed with a tablespoonful of cream. Take from the fire and add a tablespoonful of chopped parsley.

Cocoa Cookies.—Cream a half cup of shortening, add three-fourths of a cup of sugar, add a beaten egg and a fourth of a cup of milk, two cups of flour, four teaspoonfuls of cocoa (dry), a teaspoon of cinnamon and a little salt. Roll out and bake in a moderate oven.

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No. 31—Cincinnati to Atlanta, arrives and departs (midnight), 12:10 a. m.
No. 71—Richmond to Stanford, departs 6:45 a. m.

No. 1—Louisville to Beattyville, arrives 12:10 p. m., departs 12:15 p. m.
No. 37—Cincinnati to Knoxville, arrives 11:42 a. m., departs 12:12 p. m.
No. 33—Cincinnati to Jacksonville, arrives and departs 11:31 a. m.
No. 27—Richmond to Louisville via Rowland, departs 1:00 p. m.
No. 3—Louisville to Beattyville, arrives 6:45 p. m., departs 7:35 p. m.
No. 9—Cincinnati and Maysville to Stanford, arrives 7:31, departs 7:35 p. m.

North Bound
No. 34—Atlanta to Cincinnati, arrives and departs 4:11 a. m.
No. 10—Stanford to Cincinnati and Maysville, arrives 6:20 a. m., departs 6:25 a. m.

No. 2—Beattyville to Louisville, arrives 7:15 a. m., departs 7:20 a. m.
No. 28—Louisville to Richmond via Rowland, arrives 12:05 p. m.
No. 38—Knoxville to Cincinnati, arrives 1:35 p. m., departs 2:30 p. m.
No. 70—Stanford to Richmond, arrives 2:30 p. m.
No. 4—Beattyville to Louisville, arrives 1:35 p. m., departs 1:40 p. m.
No. 32—Jacksonville to Cincinnati, arrives and departs 5:07.

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Franklin, Frankfort, 4th Monday.
Garrard, Lancaster, 4th Monday.
Jessamine, Nicholasville, 3rd Monday.
Lee, Beattyville, 4th Monday.
Lincoln, Stanford, 2nd Monday.
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We speak with a great deal of sarcasm of Mexico and the cigarette, but Mexico could very justly retaliate that the American is a fiend to his pipe and cigar. Walk up and down the street, enter any public building or almost any private home and you will find men puffing at a pipe or cigar.

Statistics show that more than a billion dollars every year goes up in tobacco smoke. This sum properly expended would clothe and educate the poor people with surplus to spare.

Not only is the public at the present time smoking itself into a weakened mentality, but it is lending every encouragement it can to the younger generation to indulge in tobacco even more extensively than we are doing. Drop in at most any public place where tobacco is sold, and you will find it filled with young men puffing at cigarettes. Later on they develop the cigar habit, and occasionally you can find some youngsters puffing cigars that prize their mouth open.

Public smoking should be prohibited. No man has the right to inflict on an unoffending public the fumes of either pipe or cigars, and certainly no man has a right to smoke in a public building where men and women are obliged to congregate in the discharge of their commercial duties.

The barber shops are a haven for the young cigarette fiend as well as the old cigar fiend, and this should be prohibited. The barber must work in this vile atmosphere and he is not able to prohibit it, although he may very much desire to do so.

Public profanity is prohibited, and always has been, and any man swearing an oath on the street is subject to a fine of \$1.00 for each offense.

Many cities have adopted the anti-spitting ordinance, which is done for the purpose of keeping the sidewalks clean as well as healthful. Surely a man's lungs are entitled to as much protection from second-hand tobacco smoke as are his feet entitled to protection on the sidewalks. We are aware that there is a cry always that the people are too much governed and too much regulated. We doubt this to some extent.

A man and his wife govern their household, and if they desire, they prohibit smoking within the same, and nothing is thought of it, except that it is a proper regulation. A city is a large household, and it could and should be governed and established on as exalted a plane of purity as is a man's private home.

We smoke, but we will stop it - if we can.

WE SHOULD HEED THIS

"A town is very much like an individual. To be flourishing, it must have energy and enterprise. The people in a town should remember that the individual prosperity depends to a large extent upon the character of the place in which their business is located. Every public measure should be liberally supported by all, especially the business men. At the present day there is as much competition between towns as there is among persons and business enterprises. A man seeking a location will invariably select a town that is up to the times, and is eagerly in favor of every modern improvement. A town in these modern times, can't afford to be peopled with old fogies or ante-diluvian fossils who are continually kicking at every enterprise. To make a flourishing town you must believe in its future and work for it, encouraging every improvement. Make a special effort to exhibit some evidence of improvement in your own work and character. Help every worthy man, every enterprise and encourage every good man to locate in your town." - Jackson Times.

A DUST WAY

Lancaster Avenue has been made a speedway for automobiles and motorcycles, and they can be seen and heard at all time of day and night whizzing by. An immense cloud of dust is raised by each passing vehicle, and something should be done by the Mayor and council to relieve the residents of that portion of the city from the nuisance. Either the speed of the automobiles must be limited to so slow a pace that it will not raise the dust or else the council must clear the dust either by sweeping, sprinkling or by oiling the streets. This dust is a menace to health, and destroys the comfort of home.

We understand that the residents of the avenue have raised a sufficient amount to secure the putting down of oil, but this will not be available for some weeks. In the meantime, that portion of the city must suffer from a reckless disregard of proper speed, while the automobiles are using the street as a speed-way.

Presence of mind is a rare possession. Very few people have it in emergencies, when it is most needed. A Bowling Green boy had it the other day when put to a severe test. He was riding a bicycle along the street and failed to notice the approach of an automobile until it was too late to avoid a collision. Realizing that it was time for action, he leaped into the automobile, just in the nick of time. His bicycle was broken into pieces, but the boy was not injured at all. It was a close call, and but for the fact that he did not lose his head in the moment of danger, he probably would not be alive today. Presence of mind is a good thing to cultivate.

Men have been poking fun at women's dress styles many a day, but time is up and it is the women's turn. These dapper men, with narrow shoulders, short coats, tight pants, loud socks, high collars and tall hats pulled down on their heads until their ears stand at right-angles - say, girls, did you ever see anything look more like cockroaches? - Ex.

The Chautauqua growth in the United States for the past year has been wonderful. The number of tent Chautauquas in this country has increased from 1,500 last year to more than 2,200 this summer. One thousand of these Chautauquas are under the Red-path management.

Reports have been received at Washington announcing that traffic has begun through the Panama Canal, but it is limited to barges only.

Teddy is coming home suffering from boils. What's worrying us is how any boil valuing its life, could have the nerve to tackle Teddy.

Mr. H. W. Rickey, State Agency for Poultry Club Work, gave an illustrated talk upon different phases of poultry work to the boys and girls, poultry club at the Model Training School Tuesday night.

Circuit Court

A new trial has been granted in the case of Cyrus Fox against Lewis Soper.

In the case of A. L. Gott vs Moss Gibson for assault and battery, the jury found for the defendant.

In the case of Dunn vs Rowlett, which was a case growing out of a contract in reference to a sale of tobacco, the plaintiff was awarded a verdict of \$179.

In the case of Stanifer vs L. & N. railroad, plaintiff was awarded a judgment for \$150. It will be recalled that young Stanifer was injured by falling from a passenger train several months ago, and was badly bruised about the head.

In the case of Cotton vs Sanders, there was a verdict for the defendant. The plaintiff, Carl Cotton sued Sanders for alleged alienation of the affections of Cotton's young wife. She had sued Cotton and obtained a divorce from him, and shortly thereafter married a brother of the defendant Sanders. Sanders was the guardian of Mrs. Cotton, and the suit for alienation of affections grew out of the divorce proceedings between Cotton and wife.

Taylor Lowery suing by his next friend, obtained a judgment against James Church for \$200. This suit grew out of the fact that young Lowery, while oiling a corn shredder, got his fingers inside of the cog wheel which clipped three of his fingers from his hand. No negligence was proven on the part of Church, but the jury seemed to think that he had not given proper warning to the young man as to the dangers of the machine before allowing him to work at it. The boy was between sixteen and seventeen years old.

The case of Hendren against Cotton tried out in the Circuit Court, attracted the attention of the entire county. The case grew out of a deed which Thomas Cotton, a prominent citizen of the Kirksville neighborhood made to his son Nat Cotton, by which he conveyed to him 100 acres of valuable land. His grandson Robt. Hendren filed suit to cancel the deed on the ground that his father was mentally incompetent to make a deed.

About sixty-five or seventy witnesses were summoned on each side to testify as to his mental condition. On the calling of the case Judge Benton ruled that he would not permit exceeding fifteen witnesses to testify on a side. Mr. Cotton though advanced in years was in attendance at the trial.

Hon. Robt. Harding, of Danville, assisted by local counsel, represented the plaintiff Hendren, and Col. John Allen, of Lexington, assisted by local counsel, represented the defendant.

The jury trying the case is composed of the following well known citizens: Jas. B. Deatherage, O. W. Stagner, John Baumstark, Wm. M. Wheeler, A. Dobrowski, John C. Farley, K. S. Park, Jesse Dykes, Joe Broadus, Ed. P. Million, Thos. N. Ogg and M. F. Enright.

The jury failed to make a verdict and were discharged.

Of Course

Mr. B. F. Hurst of the Richmond Heating & Plumbing Co., Thursday requested us to change his advertisement, because the 18 farming implements, seven different kinds, advertised in this paper a few issues had every one been sold - of course it pays to advertise in the Madisonian, try it and be convinced.

Mr. Hurst is one of our most up-to-date business men and knows the benefits to be derived from advertising.

Richmond Will Please Take Notice

Track laying on the new road between Winchester and Irvine has commenced at both ends and will probably meet at Red river about the first of July.

Bring or ship your wool to E. Deatherage where you will get the Highest Cash Price for same. (193tp)

The new Ohio mine law has been upheld by the Federal Court at Cleveland.

Ascension Services Richmond Commandary

Beautiful and impressive services were held by the Richmond Commandary No. 19 at the Christian church on Sunday evening at half past seven. The building was beautifully decorated with palms, foliage and cut flowers, while high above the altar was suspended a cross and crown of white roses and smilax jeweled with electric lights. Promptly at the appointed hour the Sir Knights entered the church in full uniform and marching down the aisles occupied the front seats.

The following splendid programme was given:

Organ Prelude.....Faure
Chant: The Lord's Prayer
Invocation - Rev. E. B. Barnes
Inflamatus (Stabat Mater).....Rossini
Obbligato, Miss Bright
Quartette: Still, Still With Thee.....Emerson
Scripture Lesson - Prelate, J. W. Hamilton
Trio: Jesus Lover of My Soul.....Rubenstein
Prayer - Rev. B. C. Horton
Solo: Consider and Hear Me.....Wooler
Miss Bosley
Sermon: The Ascension - Rev. B. C. Horton
The New Heaven and New Earth.....Gaul
(From the Holy City)
Benediction - Rev. E. B. Barnes
Postlude.....Thome

Organist and Choir Director, Mrs. G. W. Pickels

Narrow Escape

Gladys Scott, the pretty 14-year-old daughter of Luther Scott, who conducts a grocery business in West Irvine, had a narrow escape from being bitten by a venomous tropical snake that was hidden in a bunch of bananas. While serving a customer with fruit from the stalk, the young lady either exposed his snake-ship's hiding place or aroused his anger and he came forth to do battle.

With the assistance of some bystanders, and after a short battle, the snake was killed. The reptile measured about 2 1/2 feet with beautiful color and marking. One of the spectators remarked that he knew it was a bold, bad snake, for it looked just like them Circus snakes, showing plainly that he was a student of "snakeology." - Irvine Sun.

The examination for colored school teachers for this county is now being held at the courthouse by County Supt. H. H. Brock and Owen S. Yates. The next meeting of the County Board of Education will be held at the office of the County Superintendent on the second Saturday in June.

Marriage Licenses

John Messeiar to Bessie Duncan.

Luke McLuke Says

Cincinnati Enquirer
A man is always willing to drop what he is doing now to tell you what he is going to do tomorrow.

The old fashioned girl who steamed her face over the washtub had more roses in her cheeks than the modern Princess who patronizes a Beauty Parlor.

The only time some men will admit that the world is treating them right is when some one says: "What'll you have?"

It is funny to me why they call them grass widows. You never saw a green one did you?

It is all right to marry in haste. But you won't pay your bills that way after the honeymoon.

A church is too often a place that is too small for a wedding and too large for religious services.

Any old time you see a girl pass up an open Summer car and wait for a closed car you can bet that she was absent minded that morning and put on a pair of cheap cotton stockings.

Before marriage it is mostly all kissing. After marriage it is mostly all cussing.

Sunday is the day on which Paw lays around and eats up everything in the house. And then he always wonders why he feels so rotten on Monday.

The slit skirt and the bustle effect are nothing new. The Goddess of Liberty has been wearing them for seventy years.

It certainly took a wise guy to design the thin gunny sack gowns the women are wearing. They leave nothing to the imagination in the front and rear, but the hips, sure keep you guessing.

The old-fashioned boy whose father was his guide now has a son whose father is guided.

There was a time when only a woman could tell what another woman was wearing under her dress. But it is different now.

Tell a woman that she looks as young as her daughter, and she won't believe you. But she will always love you for being a Cheerful Liar.

When a corn fed girl is displaying a fine assortment of out curves on the side of a street car and the man sitting on the other side won't even look at her, you can bet that the woman sitting beside him is his wife.

Men may differ on politics and other things, but they all agree that all the Good Luck goes to those who do not need it.

New Track

Mason, Hanger & Carmichael have just been awarded the contract for the construction of the connection, which the L. & N. is building in Fayette county from the L. & E. to the L. & N. The line extends from Montrose Station on the L. & E. to Woods Station on the L. & N. This will make a connection that the railroad can use to great advantage in hustling the heavy freight trains from the L. & E. across to the L. & N. without going through Lexington and using the C. & O., thus saving heavy tolls.

Commencement at Lancaster

The commencement exercises of the Lancaster High School were held in the auditorium of the school building last Wednesday evening. Dr. L. S. McMurry, of Louisville, delivered the address to the fourteen graduates and presented them their diplomas.

A Good Cause

The dance which was to have been given by the German Club Thursday night at Elk's Hall in Paris, Ky., was postponed indefinitely and the invitations were recalled. Cause - All the Club's money was in the Alexander Bank.

Held Without Bail

Lee Anderson, former member of the Lexington police force, was indicted last week by the Fayette grand jury on the charge of double murder for shooting to death Robert and Elzie Chenault, negro brothers, two weeks ago, and he was held without bail.

Not a Lottery

Certifying the law in the case of the Commonwealth against S. M. Jenkins, editor of the Crittenden Record Press, of Marion, the Court of Appeals held that a newspaper popularity contest is legal and not a lottery.

Big Revival Ended

Rev. J. W. Harney has concluded a series of meetings held at Irvine, in the Methodist Church where he had 84 conversions, and was said to be one of the best meetings ever held.

Representatives from the different insurance companies will hold another meet in Louisville today, endeavoring to effect some settlement in the insurance tangle in Kentucky.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has returned to his office at New York. Since May 1st he has been in retirement to avoid the jeers of men and women collected around his office.

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Names Its Man

The people of this portion of the district are eager to see some good man in the race for Congress other than Mr. Cantrill. Judge Benton, of Winchester, has been mentioned as a probable candidate, and we would be glad to see him in the ring, but the Judge has decided not to enter, and will stand for the nomination for another term of Circuit Judge. - Clay City Times.

South Africa Kentuckians

J. O. Turner, Secretary of the Alumni Association of State University, has received word from South Africa that a club of K. U. graduates has been formed and that the first gift to their college will be a scholarship of \$100.

This is but one indication of the brotherhood and love for the Alma Mater which binds together students of all colleges.

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FUR FOR MIDSUMMER.

Some of the pretty frocks for wear after Easter are touched with fur. The newest type of lingerie costume is of embroidered net, flounces of this fabric alternating with flounces of plain net edged in battlement effect. The broad sash of turquoise silk is embroidered in yellow, and amber beads give the completing color note.

Col. Smith Closes Bank at Paris

The Bank of George Alexander & Company, of Paris, was closed last Tuesday by State Banking Commissioner, Thos. J. Smith. Col. Smith has declined to make any statement about his action. The bank's capital was \$45,000 and it had a surplus of about \$5,000. The bank is one of the oldest institutions in the State.

Teddy at Home Again

Twelve hours after Col. Roosevelt had arrived from South America he was back in the thick of politics. He was up early the next morning picking up the threads where he dropped them seven months ago.

Sunday Excursion

Excursion every Sunday to Cincinnati and return, tickets \$1.75, train leave Richmond 6:25 A. M.

CONFERENCE OFF UNTIL JUNE 9

GOVERNOR UNABLE TO ATTEND INSURANCE MEETING AS SCHEDULED.

ALL AGREE TO POSTPONEMENT

Action Taken Following Receipt of Message by Secretary of Conference—Situation More Hopeful.

(Special Frankfort Correspondence.)

Frankfort, Ky.—The conference between representatives of fire insurance companies, state officials and Kentucky business men, planned for next Wednesday, has been postponed until June 9. This action was taken following the receipt of a message by Alfred Brandeis, secretary of the conference, from Gov. McCreary, stating that a previous engagement would prevent the governor's leaving Frankfort and suggesting that the conference be held on next Thursday instead. Mr. Brandeis sent a telegram to E. G. Richards, of New York, chairman of the insurance interests, inquiring if Thursday would be satisfactory to him. Mr. Richards replied by telegram that he could not be in Louisville on next Thursday, and suggested June 9 as a date agreeable to him. Mr. Brandeis then called Gov. McCreary on the telephone and learned that this date would be satisfactory to the state officials.

Grain Rates Soon.

The new rates on grain ordered by the Kentucky railroad commission and upheld by the United States supreme court will go into effect June 1, at which time an order of Circuit Judges J. W. Warrington and A. C. Denison and District Judge E. T. Sanford, dissolving the restraining order obtained by the Louisville & Nashville, takes effect. The order and opinion of the court, overruling a motion for an interlocutory injunction and denying to nineteen distillers distribution of the excess rates paid into the court, was received by Charles W. Hill, clerk of the United States court. The railroad commission entered an order fixing rates on grain and the railroad fought through to the supreme court, where the rate-making power of the commission was upheld, while the Kentucky court of appeals sustained its authority to require reparations for excessive rates. The rates fixed by the commission were the same as had been previously in effect, the railroad having voluntarily reduced the rate on grain on nineteen distillers. When the Interstate Commerce Commission made a ruling that railroads should not discriminate in their rates, the Louisville & Nashville raised the rates to the distiller, and the commissioners ordered the old rates restored.

Latest Rag Time Dance.

"Huh! Think the tango or the maxixe is the latest, do you? Think New York has the whole world skinned in les dances deux nouveaux, eh? Well how about this—Frankfort has evolved a dance all by itself, and it's called the Kentucky Kick. This was discovered when a New Yorker, who had stayed up half the night watching the dance of the younger set in the Frankfort Hotel ball room, announced his verdict. "Yes," he said, "they had a dance there that I'd never seen before—a kind of gladsome barn dance that wasn't a barn dance; a sort of glorified tango with a little of the gavotte in it. The couples went under the room all most at a run, or gallop, is the better term, and did it so gracefully it didn't seem like they were exerting themselves. It was one of the neatest things in the terpsichorean line I have seen for a long time."

Contract Awarded Accounting System

Edward T. Perrin and Walter J. Nichols, of New York, has secured the contract for installing the uniform accounting system in the various departments of the state government. The system was provided for in an act passed by the last legislature. The contract price is \$3,600 and the system will be installed in 57 days from the date the contract is signed. The sinking fund commissioners announced that an examination for superintendent of public printing would be held May 27. Senator State Senator C. C. Catlett, of Princeton, and Clarence E. Hert, of Lexington, are among those who will take the examination.

Equalization Board Acts on Counties.

The state board of equalization increased the assessments of Owen county 10 per cent, and increased the assessment of farm land in McCreary county 10 per cent. No changes were made in the assessments of Garrard, Jackson, Jessamine, Lincoln and Madison counties.

No Famine in Insurance.

Ruby Laffon, of Hopkinsville, chairman of the state rating board, has addressed a letter to the members of the legislature in which he charges that the fire insurance companies are playing a game of "freedom out." He says "there is no famine in insurance and no undue excitement or uneasiness among the people that there will be a famine in insurance." As a result of an investigation instituted by Laffon he says he has discovered that much insurance is being placed through brokers to keep local agents in dark.

Funds For Farm Work in Kentucky.

Without a dissenting vote the senate at Washington has accepted the James amendment to the agricultural bill, appropriating an additional \$50,000 for farm demonstration work. By agreement with the department of agriculture this extra sum is to be apportioned equally among the states of Kentucky, West Virginia and Maryland. These three states, as a result of the separation of the financial relations between the Rockefeller foundation and the department, receive less for farm demonstration work next

year than any of their southern sisters. The James amendment has been agreed to by the house conferees, and it goes through as expected. Kentucky's apportionment for farm demonstration work will be nearly \$39,000 annually hereafter, a sum equal to that now supplied by the federal government and the Rockefeller foundation combined. Mr. James made a brief speech in explanation of his amendment. It was evolved during the recent visit here of State Agricultural Commissioner J. W. Newman, who pointed out that, with the cutting off of the Rockefeller foundation funds Kentucky's appropriation for farm demonstration work would fall very low, about \$22,000. By the terms of the James amendment the current agricultural bill carries \$678,240 for farm work in all the states instead of \$628,240.

More Prisoners Paroled.

The state board of prison commissioners, with the approval of Gov. McCreary, has paroled a large number of prisoners, whose minimum term have expired, entitling them to paroles under the decision of the court of appeals in the John DeMoss case. In practically all the cases the board has good and was compelled to release the prisoners because the conditions precedent to parole had been fulfilled. Chairman Daniel E. O'Sullivan said regardless of what the commissioners may think, they had to parole these indeterminate sentence prisoners upon the expiration of their minimum sentences if their prison records are good and they have employment for six months awaiting them, but they are only conditionally free, and the commission may bring them back to serve out the remainder of their sentence if they violate the conditions of their paroles.

Postoffices To Be Discontinued.

The postoffices at Beamville, Barren county, and Holy Cross, Marion county, will be superseded by rural delivery on May 31. After that date mail for Beamville will be routed out of Fountain Run and mail for Holy Cross will be handled at Loretto. The postmaster general authorized the establishment of a rural route out of Lamasco, Lyon county, on August 1. It will be twenty miles in length and will serve twenty-six families. Kentucky postmasters were appointed as follows: Woodrow, Breckenridge county, Jefferson E. Bruner; Bass, Taylor county, William J. Orreder; Bluff Bloom, Green county, Edward L. Larimore, and Coon Hollow, Nelson county, Arthur Cummins.

Fine Outlook For Crops.

According to Commissioner Newman's first crop report for the year 1914, everything is lovely. Cereals, fruits, tobacco, pastures and livestock all are making a good start, the report says, and weather conditions are favorable. In short, the prospect seems to be fine this year for bumper crops all along the line, which is ever and always an index to general prosperity. It is much to be desired that the rosy predictions of the state agricultural department may be realized.

CAPITOL GOSSIP

After two years of litigation between the factions of McCreary county, one faction favoring Whitley City, and the other faction favoring Pine Knott, as the county seat at McCreary county, the court of appeals decided that Whitley City is the county seat of McCreary county. In affirming the judgment of the McCreary circuit, the appellate court held that in equity cases all courts have no inherent power to try contested elections, but can only exercise such powers where it has been conferred by express enactment or necessary implication. There is no statute covering contested election hearings by circuit courts in this state.

Six outfits of farmers' libraries are being assembled by Commissioner J. W. Newman. The libraries will contain forty volumes each. The libraries contain practical works on agriculture and will be circulated. Raywick, Marion county, Mt. Washington and Franklin will get the first three sent out. Wherever possible the pastor of a rural church will be in charge of the library for his community.

The court of appeals has held valid the local option election held in Somerset, September 29, 1913, in which the city voted dry by a majority of 57 votes. The election was contested by the wets on several grounds, one being that the statute requires an equal division of election officers favoring and opposing a proposition. The court says that while it favors an equal division of election officers for and against a proposition, no fraud is charged in the election, and therefore it must stand.

COMMANDER BLAMED FOR PANIC.

London.—The Durazzo correspondent of the Daily Telegraph attributes the panic which led to the flight of Prince William to the Dutch commander of the gendarmes, Major Sleys. In ordering a small body of these men to go out and attack the insurgents, who were supposed to be advancing on the town. They obeyed the order unwillingly, and were captured. The townspeople became panic-stricken and the prince fled with his family. The Myrret's flight, according to the correspondent, deprived him of any prestige he possessed among the Albanians.

TO GO UNDER THE HAMMER.

New York.—It is reported on seemingly good authority that the sale of the Morgan art collection, now on exhibition in the Metropolitan museum, has been definitely determined, although the date has not been fixed.

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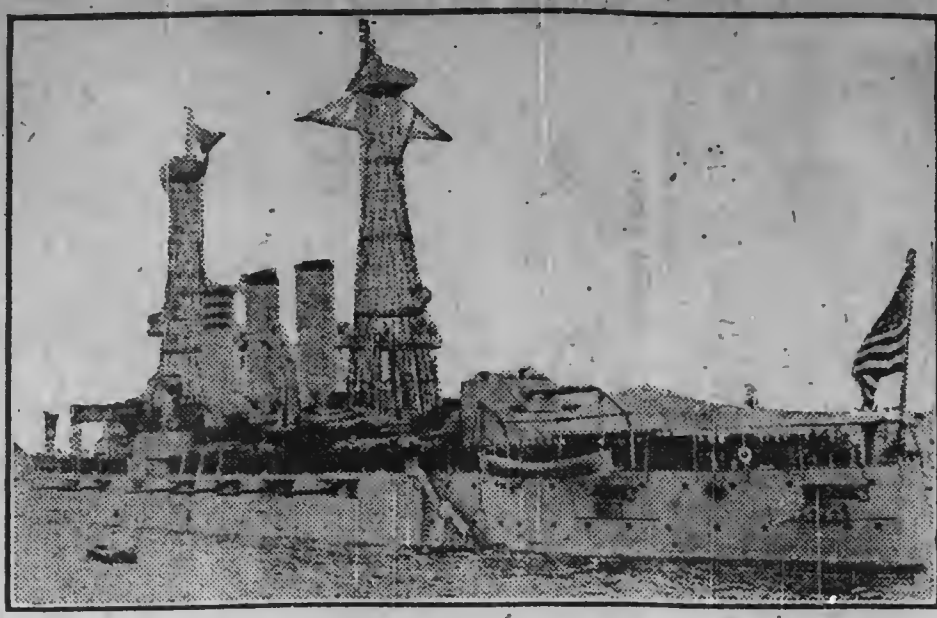


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Georgia of the Atlantic Fleet.

THE Georgia, attached to Third division, Atlantic fleet, carries twenty-four guns, is of 19,948 tons, 19,000 horsepower and is equipped with twin screws. Her commander is Captain Robert E. Coontz.

SPEED COSTS LIVES

AUTO AND TRACTION CAR IN TERRIFIC CRASH—HUSBAND AND WIFE DEAD.

Ohio Woman Killed When Machine Hit Stone—Six Injured, One Fatally, in Illinois Wreck.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Kansas City, Mo.—Swift death overtook a speeding automobile driven by William E. Dunn, at the Prathersville Station crossing of the Kansas City, Clay county and Excelsior Springs electric line. The car collided at right angles with an electric train. Dunn, 36 years old, and his wife, Mildred Dunn, 21 years old, were almost instantly killed.

George Dunn, four years old, their only child, was tossed over a barbed wire fence and into a pasture by the mother just as the cars struck. He may die.

The electric train was slightly behind its schedule and the passengers said it was running at a rate of 40 miles an hour.

Train Strikes Automobile—Six Killed. Herrin, Ills.—A southbound freight on the C. B. & Q. railway, three miles south of this city, struck an automobile containing a party of six Marion persons, killing one and injuring five others. View of the train was obstructed by trees. D. L. Hartwell, of Marion, state's attorney, was driving the machine which contained John Cline, druggist, and his wife and three-year-old child, who was killed instantly.

ASSASSINATION REPORTED.

El Paso, Tex.—The Constitutional Junta here has a report that General Eugenio Rascon and Frederico Gamboa, former minister of war in the Madero cabinet, were assassinated in Mexico City.

CINCINNATI MARKETS

Corn—New corn is quoted as follows: No. 2 white 76@77c, No. 3 white 75@76c, No. 4 white 73@74c, No. 2 yellow 74@75c, No. 3 yellow 73@74c, No. 4 yellow 70@71c, No. 2 mixed 71@72c, No. 3 mixed 70@71c, No. 4 mixed 69@70c, mixed ear 75@77c, white ear 75@77c, yellow ear 76@78c. Hay—No. 1 timothy \$19, standard timothy \$18, No. 2 timothy \$17, No. 3 timothy \$15, No. 1 clover mixed \$17, No. 2 clover mixed \$15@15.50, No. 1 clover \$16, No. 2 clover \$14. Oats—No. 2 white 44@44½c, standard white 43½@44c, No. 3 white 42½@43c, No. 4 white 40½@42c, No. 2 mixed 43c, No. 3 mixed 42@42½c, No. 4 mixed 38@40½c. Wheat—No. 2 red 98@99½c, No. 3 red 96@97½c, No. 4 red 96@96c. Poultry—Hens, old, 4c, do light 14c, roosters 9½c, springers 1½ to 1½ lb, 34@35c; springers, under 1½ lb, 25@30c; winter chickens, 2½ lbs and under, 20@25c; ducks, white, 10c; turkeys, toms, 14½c; hen turkeys, 9 lbs and over, 14½c. Eggs—Prime firsts 18c, firsts 17c, ordinary firsts 16½c, seconds 16c. Cattle—Shippers \$7.50@8.50, extra \$8.50@8.75; butcher steers, extra \$8.25@8.50, good to choice \$7.25@8, common to fair \$6@7; heifers, extra \$8.50@8.75, few fancy \$8.85, good to choice \$7.65@8.25, common to fair \$5.75@7.50; cows, extra \$6.80@6.75, good to choice \$6@6.50, common to fair \$5.75@5.75; canners \$3.50@4.50. Bulls—Bologna \$6.25@7, extra \$7.10@7.25, fat bulls \$7@7.25. Calves—Extra \$10, fair to good \$8@9.75, common and large \$5@9.50. Hogs—Selected heavy \$8.35@8.40, good to choice packers and butchers \$8.35@8.40, mixed packers \$8.30@8.35, stags \$4.50@6.50, extra \$6.50, common to choice heavy fat sows \$5.50@7.50, extra \$7.50, light chippers \$3.15@3.30, pigs (110 lbs and less) \$6@8.15. Clipped Sheep—Extra \$4.90@5, good to choice \$4.50@4.85, common to fair \$3.25@4.40. Clipped Lambs—Extra \$7.50@7.65, good to choice \$7.25@7.50, common to fair \$5.50@7.25.

HUGE CANTILEVER CRANE BURNT

San Francisco.—The gigantic cantilever crane, built by the government at a cost of \$250,000 for shipbuilding purposes at the Mary Island navy yard, was destroyed by fire and probably is a total loss. The fire started in the operating room at the top of the crane. The frame structure from which the crane was run, and which contained the well-adjusted machinery, was oil-soaked, and went up in flames in a few minutes. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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Their youth lies on the battlefields
Of fifty years ago.

THOSE faded, tattered flags they bear,
All torn by shot and shell,
Are sacred emblems of the dead
Who loved their country well.
How great their love and sacrifice
No human tongue may tell.

THEIR serried ranks are thinning fast
That once with martial tread
The knapsack and the musket bore
Where Grant and Sherman led.
Their sleep is sound and peaceful
In the bivouac of the dead.



Notice to Public.—Oil For Streets.

The City Council at its regular meeting held on May 7th passed a resolution directing the Mayor to notify the public that, in order to secure oil for the streets of the city, the money must be raised by the residents of each street oiled, the city agreeing to put up a dollar for every dollar raised by the people. Sam'l Rice, Mayor.

Odd Fellows Memorial Day

On the first Sunday in June the Odd Fellows Lodge will hold their annual memorial day. Hon. Robt. B. Franklin, an orator of renown, will be the orator of the day.

John Farley, the leper whose case attracted widespread attention a few years ago, has escaped from headquarters where he was confined, and is at large. Farley contracted leprosy when serving with the United States army in the Philippines in 1903.

The Sixth group of Kentucky Bankers in session at Covington have expressed their opinion that the new banking system will be successful.

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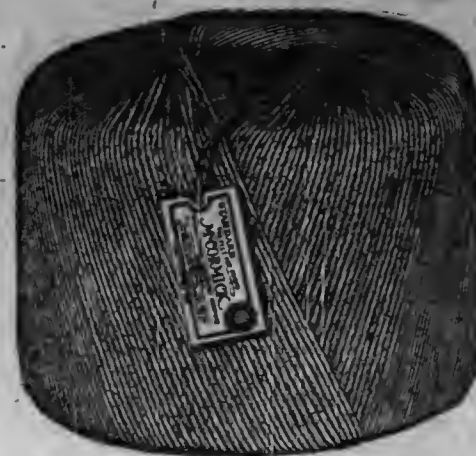
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